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GERMAN DRIVE IN EAST CONTINUES: FIGHTING IN WEST

Russians Are Retreating Over Their Own Frontier, Toward Tarnograd

LEMBERG SURROUNDED

French in Lengthy Statement Claim Gains in Severe Fighting in West.

London, June 17. — Another 24 hours of fighting in Galicia has developed nothing to stem the Austro-German advance toward Lemberg, and tonight Berlin claims the Russians are retreating over their own frontier toward Tarnogrod, four miles from the Galician border.

Russian Territory Invaded.

This means an invasion of Russian territory at a new point, but according to military observers here, it may spell ultimate advantage for the Russians in that a general Russian retirement northward into Poland would divert General Linsingen's attempt to crush the Russian frontier near Zurawna, which would sever the communications of the Russian army in Southeastern Galicia and Bukowina. The military writers here say the real danger zone from the Russian standpoint is in the Surwana district and along the Dniester.

According to Berlin, the Austro-German forces have battered through Niemerow, 30 miles northwest of Lemberg and are advancing toward Jaworow, which is only 25 miles west of the Galician capital. Three great masses of Austro-Germans thus are sweeping from the San toward the capital and the prediction is made that the decisive battle, if one is fought, will take place in the vicinity of Grodek, where military observers believe the Russians should benefit by the lake country.

British newspapers, though not minimizing the importance of the Austro-German successes in Galicia, acclaim what is styled the Grand Duke Nicholas' elusive strategy in shifting his front from north and south to northwest and southeast. This maneuver, it is asserted, has deflected the Austro-German blow to some extent and at the same time denied to them a full test of strength.

Thus the Russian retreat is characterized in London as strikingly paralleling the Allies victory on the Marne. The struggle along the Dniester and before Lemberg it is considered here must determine which side is the more astute in the present maneuvers.

INTENSE ACTIVITY IN WEST

French Official Statement Tells of Desperate Struggle With Germans.

Paris, June 17.—Tonight's war office communication describes intense activity along the French front, the Allied forces delivering powerful attacks and the Germans counter-attacking furiously. North of Arras, the French have carried several lines of German trenches and are making marked progress toward Souchez.

Heavy losses on both sides are reported. The text of the statement follows:

"There has been great activity on the front during the last two days. The fighting to the north of Arras since yesterday has taken a character of extreme intensity.

"Infantry actions have been numerous and desperate; the duel of artillery violent and continuous.

"We have realized important progress, almost all of which has been maintained notwithstanding the furious counter-attacks of the enemy, some of which were markedly accentuated today.

"It is especially in the north part of the sector that we have progressed, carrying several lines of trenches on both sides of the road from Aix Roulette to Souchez. The Germans are still holding on in the Fond de Buval, but they are almost completely surrounded.

Made Advances.

"We made advances yesterday and today toward Souchez in the directions northwest, southeast, west and east in an uninterrupted fashion.

"Farther to the South we have taken foot in part of the Chauteau de Carleula, the moats of which, filled with water served as a base of the enemy defenses; captured the cemetery of Souchez and gained ground on the slopes to the southeast of Souchez (Hill No. 119) thanks to several brilliant assaults.

"The gains of yesterday were enlarged today. To the north, to the east and to the south of Neuville we took by assault the enemy's first line and at certain points the second line. The units engaged fought at the point of the bayonet and with grenades under a violent artillery fire.

"Our infantry after having attacked with great spirit, very efficaciously supported by a fire of nearly 300,000 shells, was obliged to make front during the night of Wednesday-Thursday against violent and repeated counter attacks varried out by large effectiveness, and repulsed them along the entire front.

"We have evacuated only a small wood conquered yesterday morning to the south of Hill No. 119, which the enemy's artillery fire rendered untenable.

Suffered Heavy Losses.

"The Germans brought into the engagement eleven divisions, which suffered extremely heavy losses. The

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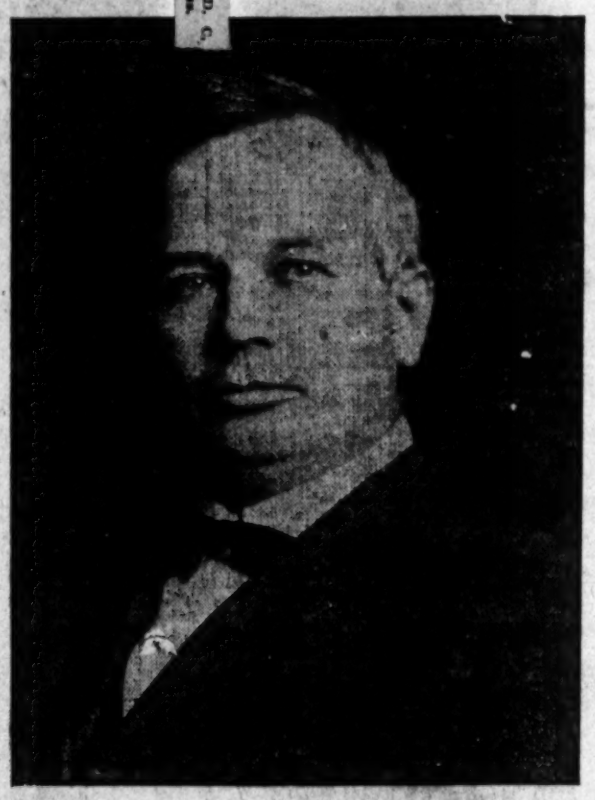
ATTORNEY-GE[illegible]AL THOMAS WALTER BICKETT



He greatly delighted the members of the North Carolina Bankers' Association, in session at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, last night by his happy address in response to the address of welcome.

TRAGIC DEATH OF CANADIAN FLYER

Aviator Who Destroyed Zeppelin in Air is Dead.

AMERICAN WRITER, ALSO

Lieutenant Warneford and His Passenger, Henry Beach Needham, Fall to Death When Machine Happens to Accident.

Paris, June 17.—Lieutenant Reginald A. J. Warneford, who gained fame recently by blowing to pieces a Zeppelin, over Belgium, was killed today by the fall of an aeroplane at Buc, France. Lieutenant Warneford was piloting the machine which had as a passenger Henry Beech Needham, the American writer, who also was killed.

Lieutenant Warneford and Needham fell from a heighth of 500 feet. The lieutenant had been spending a few days in Paris, where he came after his Zeppelin exploit to receive his decoration of the Legion of Honor.

According to a report received in Paris, the accident resulted from an explosion in mid-air which caused Lieutenant Warneford to lose control, the machine crashing to earth.

Needham's body was taken to the English hospital in Trianon Palace, Versailles. He had been in Europe about four months, acting as correspondent of magazines and a New York newspaper. He had received permission from the military authorities to make a flight in order to get material for a story. His wife, who also is a writer, accompanied him during the early part of his trip abroad. She sailed for America six weeks ago.

How He Won His Fame.

Reginald A. J. Warneford, a young Canadian sub-lieutenant in the Royal Navy, suddenly acquired world-wide renown by destroying a Zeppelin over Belgium on June 7, this being the first time on record that a Zeppelin had been wrecked by an aviator in an aeroplane. By a brilliant flight, Lieut. Warneford obtained a position above the Zeppelin and dropped bombs on it. The dirigible crashed to the ground and burned up. The 28 men in the crew were killed.

For this feat, Lieutenant Warneford was decorated with the Victoria cross and the cross of the Legion of Honor.

Lieutenant Warnefore made his first flight at Hendon, England, less than five months ago, and had been with the flying squadron only a few weeks.

Henry Beech Needham was born in Pennsylvania in 1871. He was admitted to the bar in 1894. He joined the staff of the New York Evening Post in 1898, and later contributed to magazines.

He became well known through his investigations of labor and social betterment questions.

BIG STEAMER ESCAPES

After Surrendering to German Submarine and Bomb Exploded in Hold.

Milfordhaven, Wales, June 17.—With a big list to port and all her pumps working at full pressure the steamer Turnwell steamed into port today after having surrendered to a German submarine the crew of which had exploded bombs in her hold.

The escape of the steamer was due the fact that the submarine's captain, eager to sink another steamer, did not remain long enough by the Turnwell to make sure of the effectiveness of the bombs.

ORGANIZE LEAGUE TO ENFORCE PEACE

William Howard Taft Elected Permanent President.

MANY VICE-PRESIDENTS

Animated Discussion as to Name for New Organization—Formed in Independence Hall on Anniversary of Bunker Hill.

Philadelphia, June 17.—Within historic Independence Hall today—the anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill—there was formed an organization whose object will be to promote the creation of a league of nations with a view to preventing wars or, at least, to lessen the possibilities of armed conflict. The name adopted by the organization, after some debate, was: "League to Enforce Peace, American Branch."

William H. Taft was elected permanent president and a long list of representative American citizens were named as permanent vice presidents. A permanent executive committee also was selected.

The conference was not an assemblage of what one participant termed "pure peace" men, but a gathering of those who for the most part believe in trying to bring about peace even though they have to use force.

There was an animated discussion over the adoption of the name. George W. Kirchwey, of Columbia University, suggested that the name be changed to "League to Establish and Maintain Peace." The proposed elimination of the word "enforce" gained supporters, but it was defeated as a vigorous speech by A. Lawrence Lowell, chairman of the resolutions committee.

Report is Made and Adopted.

During the noon recess the resolutions committee formulated its report and it was presented to the afternoon session by Chairman Lowell, who said that some suggestions offered were rejected because they were not germane to the subject and because they could be better taken in other ways. One of the principal suggestions adopted, he said, was that offered by Victor C. Berger, Wisconsin, to prevent the signatory nations furnishing the belligerents arms and ammunition.

The resolutions as recommended by the committee and adopted by the meeting, read:

"Throughout 5,000 years of recorded history, peace here and there established has been kept and its area has been widened in one way only. Individuals have combined their efforts to suppress violence in the local community. Communities have co-operated to maintain the authoritative state and to preserve peace within its borders. States have formed leagues or confederations or have otherwise co-operated to establish peace among themselves.

"Always peace has been made and kept when made and kept at all, by the superior power of superior numbers acting in unity for the common good.

"Mindful of this teaching of experience, we believe and solemnly urge that the time has come to devise and to create a working union of sovereign nations to establish peace among themselves and to guarantee it by all known and available sanctions at their command, to the end that civilization may be conserved and the progress of

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CAROLINA BANKERS IN ANNUAL SESSION

First Meeting at Wrightsville Beach Last Night

VISITORS WELCOMED

Attorney General Bickett Pays Eloquent Tribute to Wilmington Hospitality—Programme of Unusual Interest Today.

Welcomed in a manner characteristic of the Cape Fear section by W. P. Stacy, Esq., of Wilmington, followed by an eloquent and witty response by Hon. T. W. Bickett, Attorney General of North Carolina, the 19th annual convention of the North Carolina Bankers' Association was called to order in the assembly hall of the Seashore Hotel, at Wrightsville Beach, last evening, by President Thos E. Cooper, of this city, with possibly the largest attendance in its history.

The convention will be featured today by an address by Hon. W. P. G. Harding, of the Federal Reserve Board, Washington, D. C., and the annual address of President Cooper which, it is understood, will be of unusual interest to the bankers of the State. Secretary W. A. Hunt, of Henderson, will also present his annual report at this session. Tonight the bankers will be entertained at a souvenir dance at Lumina.

Hon. William Ingle, Reserve Agent of the Federal Reserve Bank, of Richmond, Va., will be the principal speaker at the closing session tomorrow morning. Saturday afternoon a large number of the bankers and their friends will leave for a trip to New York on the handsome Clyde Line steamer Comanche, which will arrive in Wilmington from Jacksonville tomorrow at noon.

Informal Reception.

The opening session of the convention was called to order last evening by President Cooper, after which prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, this city. President Cooper then presented Mr. Stacy, who extended to the bankers a warm and cordial welcome not only to Wrightsville Beach but to Wilmington and the Cape Fear section. His address was a fitting introduction to the response by Attorney General Bickett, who in witty language voiced the pleasure that the bankers felt in being able to enjoy the hospitality extended to them. He neglected to say that he himself has the right to be called a banker, being a director in a bank in his home town. Following his address, the meeting adjourned and an informal reception was given by the Wilmington Clearing House Association to the visiting bankers and their lady friends.

There are more than 200 bankers from all sections of the State in attendance. The Seashore Hotel was crowded last night and more visitors were expected today. Every indication points towards the most successful convention in the history of the association.

Attorney General Bickett intermingled humor with seriousness in his usual happy style. His address was heard with great interest, and he was frequently applauded.

Mr. Bickett's Address.

"There is no feeling so altogether satisfying as that one is entirely welcome," said Mr. Bickett. "A warm, whole-souled welcome converts a cabin into a palace, and a cup of cold water into the nectar of the Gods. It is the glory of the home and the essence of the love that never faileth. Lord Byron, a pathetic wanderer in alien lands,

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MERCHANTS MEET IN WINSTON-SALEM NEXT

State Association Condemns the "Coupon Evil."

Urge Legislature to Make Appropriation for Advertising the State—Endorse Rural Credit Scheme. Officers Elected.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., June 17.—Winston-Salem was the unanimous choice of the North Carolina Merchants' Association as the place of holding the next meeting, that municipality's invitation being accepted at the final session of the thirteenth annual convention of the organization, which was held this afternoon. Officers for the coming year were chosen as follows, all of those selected being named to succeed themselves in the positions which they have filled during the past year:

President, Luther B. Markham, of Durham; vice-president, R. L. Poston, of Statesville; secretary, M. E. Newsom, Jr., of Durham; treasurer, Samuel P. Burton, of Asheville.

Resolutions were adopted condemning what the merchants designate as the coupon evil, whereby coupons are given with cash purchases; asking the next session of the General Assembly to make an appropriation for the advertisement of the industries of North Carolina and their development; en-

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PRESIDENT OF N. C. BANKERS' ASSOCIATION.

Mr. Thomas E. Cooper, of Wilmington, president of the North Carolina Bankers' Association, in session at Wrightsville Beach, will deliver his annual address to the convention this morning.

SECOND CHAPTER "CAUSELESS WAR"

Bryan Says Present Strife Result of False Philosophy.

"MIGHT MAKES RIGHT"

Former Secretary Praises President Woodrow Wilson for the Stand He Has Taken as a Neutral, Regarding European War.

Washington, June 17. — Asserting that preparedness provokes rather than prevents war and that the upheaval in Europe was a result of the false philosophy that "might makes right," former Secretary Bryan today in a second of his series of three statements on the "Causeless War," submits an argument against military preparation by the United States, and praises the course of President Wilson in the international emergency.

"If any nation is without excuse for entering into a mad rivalry with the belligerent nations in preparation for war, it is the United States," says Mr. Bryan. "We are protected on either side by thousands of miles of ocean, and this protection is worth more to us than any number of battleships.

"We have an additional protection in the fact, known to every one, that we have the men with whom to form an army of defense, if we are ever attacked; and it is known also that we would have then money, too—more money than we would have had, if all the surplus earnings of the people had been invested in armament.

"The leading participants in the present war are the nations that were best prepared, and I fear it would have been difficult for us to keep out of this war if we had been as well prepared as they.

Praises Wilson.

"Happy for our nation that we have in the White House at this time a President who believes in setting the old world a good example, instead of following the bad example which it sets in this matter. What an unspeakable misfortune it would have been if, in such an hour as this, the nation had been under the leadership of a President inflamed by the false philosophy which has plunged Europe into the abyss of war."

In discussing the cause of the European conflict, Mr. Bryan in a lengthy analysis, argues that it is no war of race, religion or families, and declares:

"If I have correctly analyzed the situation, the war is the natural result of a false philosophy. * * * The fundamental precept of this false philosophy is that 'might makes right.'"

ITALIAN SUBMARINE IS TORPEDOED BY AN ENEMY SUBMARINE

Rome, June 17.—An official communication issued by the ministry of marine says:

"The submarine Medusa, which has accomplished a useful and daring service of exploration, has been torpedoed by an enemy submarine. According to an Austrian official communication, an officer and four men of the crew were saved and made prisoners.

"One of our dirigibles flying over the intrenched camps of the enemy last night let fall powerful bombs on the important railroad branch of Divaca causing serious damage. The dirigible returned unharmed despite a lively fire from the guns and quick firers of the enemy."

FORMER GOVERNOR T. J. JARVIS DEAD

State's "Grand Old Man" Died at 9 O'Clock Last Night.

AT GREENVILLE HOME

Funeral to be Held Sunday—Deceased Had Served as United States Senator, Minister to Brazil and as Lieutenant Governor.

Greenville, N. C., June 17.—Thomas J. Jarvis, 79 years old on the 18th of last January, died at 9 o'clock tonight at his home here, after being ill for some months. He was one of North Carolina's most prominent men, governor of the State from 1879 to 1885; United States minister to Brazil 1885-89; United States Senator 1894-95, having been elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Zebulon B. Vance.

He had been speaker of the House and lieutenant governor previous to his election as governor and until very lately continued the practice of law in which he held high place. He served in the Confederate army, rising from private to captain, but his right arm being shattered in battle he was compelled to leave the service in 1864. He is survived by his widow, formerly Miss Mary Woodson.

The funeral will be held Sunday.

North Carolina's "grand old man," as he was often affectionately referred to, was considered by many of the more prominent men of the State as her foremost living citizen. On the 18th of last January he celebrated his 79th birthday. On that occasion it was truly said of him:

"His life has been a tower of strength in the progress and uplift of North Carolina. He has served his State with devotion, fidelity and ability in every sphere—a gallant soldier, an astute legislator, a strong executive, a wise counsellor, a citizen of highest type. He stands like a giant oak on a hill, standing four-square to the winds, unmarred by the sweep of time and the storms which have beat upon it."

On that occasion former Lieutenant Governor R. A. Doughton voiced the sentiments of North Carolinians generally when he said:

"Governor Jarvis is North Carolina's foremost living citizen. We take pride that he is still with us and that his usefulness continues, standing for all that is best in our life. We all hope that many, many additional years may be given him."

Thomas Jordan Jarvis was born at Jarvisburg on January 18, 1836. He graduated from Randalph-Macon College in 1860, serving the Confederacy from 1861 to 1864, going from the ranks to a captain's commission. A bullet found his right arm, shattered it, and he left the service. He was a member of the State Constitutional conventions in 1865 and 1875. After holding many other elective offices, he became Governor on the election of Vance to the Senate in 1879 and was elected to that office in 1881. He was minister to Brazil in 1885-89, and was elected to serve the remainder of Vance's term on the latter's death in 1894.

"In all these offices," said Representative Doughton, "Governor Jarvis was the faithful servant of a great State which honored itself in honoring him."

Governor Jarvis was at the helm of the ship of State when that craft was passing through troubious waters. Again quoting Mr. Doughton, "those were the days of the carpet bagger, that unforgetable excressance upon the body politic—and it required men of the Jarvis stamp to cope with the conditions as they were."

Governor Jarvis was a pillar of strength in the Methodist church, being one of the leaders in his own local church—Jarvis Memorial—at Greenville, and throughout the State. He

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INVESTIGATION OF LUSITANIA'S LOSS NOW CONCLUDED

Short Secret Session Will be Held Today to Finish the Work.

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED

Representative of Seamens' Union Thinks Turner Did Wrong.

London, June 17.—The public inquiry into the sinking of the Cunarder Lusitania by a German submarine was ended late today. A short secret session will be held tomorrow to take further evidence as to whether Captain Turner observed fully the admiralty's warnings.

The speed of the Lusitania at the time the torpedo hit her occupied the court's attention this afternoon. Reply to a question by Baron Mersey as to whether the vessel's speed had anything to do with the catastrophe, A. C. Edwards, M. P., representing the Seamen's Union, said it was obvious that if a zig-zagging course was an element of safety, as the admiralty's expert had testified, then the captain and owners of the steamer "showed grave culpability."

Mr. Edwards also asserted that the evidence disclosed that the company was economising in the consumption of coal. As Captain Turner was holding the ship to a straight course at a speed of 18 knots, he said, it was easy for a submarine to take its proper position, whereas, if the vessel had been zig-zagging, it would have been difficult, if not impossible, to tell where the ship would pass.

Confusion in Steerage.

The only other question on which Baron Mersey desired light was the statement of D. A. Thomas, the coal operator, that while the first and second class passengers were calm and the stewards and stewardess were brave and helpful the steerage passengers were in confusion and members of the crew were mainly interested in saving themselves, giving a general appearance of lack of discipline.

Solicitor General Smith presented statistics of those saved, showing that 41 per cent of the crew, 38.8 per cent of the male passengers, 38.6 per cent of the female passengers, and 27 per cent of the children were rescued. Mr. Smith declared, however, that these figures did not give a fair idea, as the women and children were unable to stand exposure, while the sailors and passengers who were able to swim were of more hardy physique. Consequently the number saved was not indicative whether the crew took the boats to the exclusion of passengers.

The outstanding questions, Mr. Smith said, were the responsibility of the ship's master and the company's action in restricting the number of boilers in use, when the hearing was resumed this morning.

Another Submarine Present.

Sir Edward Carson, the attorney general, expressed his conviction that a second submarine was laying in wait on the port side of the Lusitania. Sir Edward made this statement in reply to an argument put forward by Baron Mersey, who said he thought a mistake had been made by Seaman O'Neill, one of the witnesses before the court who testified he had seen the wash of a torpedo passing the stern of the Lusitania from the port to the starboard side immediately after the liner had been hit on her starboard.

O'Neill was formerly in the navy. He is positive that he recognized the wash of a torpedo although he did not see the submarine which fired it from the port side. His testimony was corroborated by another seaman witness, who testified also that he saw the wash of two torpedoes from the starboard side. These came forward in parallel lines until they almost reached the ship. When they parted at a slight angle, first one and then the other striking the Lusitania.

Capt. W. T. Turner, of the Lusitania, was recalled to the stand and asked why the collapsible boats had not been freed from their chocks on entering the danger zone. He replied he feared the boats would slide about when the ship listed and sweep passengers into the sea. The captain admitted that some boats were strapped on the top of others.

Boats of No Use.

When asked by Baron Mersey if the increase in the number of small boats on liners since the Titanic disaster was of any advantage, Captain Turned answered that he did not think so.

Chief Steward Jones declared he had not seen any life belts on the upper deck of the Lusitania after the liner had left New York. Chief Carpenter Robertson said the condition of the lifeboats was good when the Lusitania left New York. In reply to the statement of the attorney for a relative of one of the victims that a certain life boat leaked so badly that all but two of the occupants were drowned the chief carpenter replied that he was unable to throw any light on this statement, but said it was possible for the hot sun to have warped the boat's sides.

The evidence showed Staff Captain Anderson countermanded the orders Captain Turner had given previously to get the women and children into the boats. A number of witnesses testified that they got into the boats and had to leave them later on orders from Captain Anderson who was heard shouting: "the ship is safe."

That no life belts were available on deck during the voyage was testified by Bertram Jenkins, of New York, a

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EDDIE COLLINS STARS IN CHICAGO'S VICTORY

Philadelphia Americans Shut Out by White Sox.

Yankees Make it Six Straight by Defeating Cleveland—Red Sox and Detroit Are Tied for Second Place.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At New York 7; Cleveland 3.
At Philadelphia 0; Chicago 3.
At Washington 2; Detroit 4.
At Boston 11; St. Louis 10.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Chicago at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Boston.
Cleveland at New York.
Detroit at Washington.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	33	20	.623
Detroit	33	22	.600
Boston	27	18	.600
New York	26	23	.531
Washington	24	22	.522
Cleveland	20	29	.408
St. Louis	19	32	.365
Philadelphia	19	32	.373

Philadelphia, June 17.—Eddie Collins' batting, fielding and base running featured the game today in which Chicago defeated Philadelphia 3 to 0. He made two doubles and a single and drew a pass in four trips to the plate, stole two bases and drove in one run and scored another against his former team-mates. In addition he accepted ten chances. Scott pitched such splendid ball that the home team could not get a runner past first base. Walsh made a season's record here for an outfielder with eight put-outs and one assist.

Chicago .....010 001 100—3 8 0
Philadelphia .....000 000 000—0 4 0
Scott and Schalk; Bressler, Shawkey and Lapp and McAvoy.

Boston, June 17.—The Red Sox moved into a tie for second place in the American League race by winning from St. Louis today 11 to 10. Two games were scheduled, but the morning contest was postponed because of rain. St. Louis, solving the delivery of Ruth, which had perplexed them to the extent of seven strike-outs in seven innings, drove him from the box in the eighth when they scored seven runs.

St. Louis .....000 001 072—10 13 4
Boston .....212 020 22*—11 12 1
Perryman, Hoch and Severold; Ruth, Mays and Thomas.

New York, June 17.—The New York Americans made it six straight by easily taking the first game of their Cleveland series today 7 to 3. Caldwell held Cleveland to two hits until the ninth when a misjudged fly by High paved the way for the three Cleveland runs. Caldwell, however, scored as many runs himself.

Cleveland .....000 000 003—3 6 1
New York .....001 030 30*—7 9 0
Jones, Harstad and O'Neill; Caldwell and Sweeney.

Washington, June 17.—Detroit altered its line-up today to obtain batting strength and the change had the desired result, the Tigers winning the first game of the series with Washington 4 to 2. After holding the locals to two hits in eight innings, DuBuc weakened in the ninth and Washington scored two runs. Steen retired the side.

Detroit .....300 001 000—4 7 3
Washington .....000 000 002—2 5 2
DuBuc, Steen and Stanage; Ayres, Hopper, Gallia and Williams.

MINOR LEAGUES

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
At Toronto 5, Buffalo 4.
At Montreal 4, Rochester 9.
Providence 3, Jersey City 1. (Played at Syracuse, N. Y.)
At Richmond 5, Newark 3.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
At Columbus 4, Cleveland 8.
No others scheduled.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE
At Albany 2, Augusta 5.
At Columbus 3, Charleston 1.
At Jacksonville 6, Columbia 5.

CAROLINA LEAGUE
At Raleigh 2, Greensboro 3.
At Asheville 7, Charlotte 0.
At Winston-Salem 6, Durham 8.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE
At Norfolk 3, Suffolk 5.
At Petersburg 1, Portsmouth 0 14 innings).
At Newport News 3, Rocky Mount 5.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE
At Nashville 4, Memphis 2.
At Birmingham 1, New Orleans 6.
At Atlanta 3, Mobile 1. Atlanta 9, Mobile 2. (Second 7 innings by agreement.)
At Little Rock 1, Chattanooga 6. Little Rock 7, Chattanooga 0.

DAY OF SURPRISES IN GOLF TOURNAMENT AT SHORT HILLS.

Short Hills, N. J., June 17.—This was a day of surprises in the competition for the national golf open championship. Uncertainty of the game was never more clearly demonstrated than during the first half of the 72-hole medal play competition on the links of the Baltusrol Golf Club. Some of the pronounced favorites were virtually eliminated, while other players whose chances to win some of the prizes, if not the championship were considered to be remote, finished well up in the leading division.

At the conclusion of today's play James M. Barnes, Western open champion, and another professional, Louis Tellier, formerly champion of France, led the field with scores of 146 strokes each. Both equalled the professional record of the course, 71 for 18 holes, a feat duplicated by three others, one of whom was "Chick" Evans, Western amateur champion, and the others M. J. Brady, Wollaston, Mass., and Tom McNamara, Boston, professionals.

Big wrestling match at Cunningham-Herbert Club tonight.
(Advertisement.)

KONETCHY POUNDS OUT VICTORY FOR PITTSBURG

Kansas City Gives Bender a Severe Drubbing

Buffalo Puts a Stop to Chicago's Winning Streak by Capturing Second Game of Double-Header—Yesterday's Features.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.
At Newark 2; St. Louis 3.
At Brooklyn 3; Pittsburg 8.
At Baltimore 5, Kansas City 9.
At Buffalo 2-7; Chicago 5-5.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
St. Louis at Newark.
Kansas City at Baltimore.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Buffalo.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Kansas City	34	21	.618
St. Louis	28	21	.571
Pittsburg	27	24	.529
Chicago	29	24	.527
Brooklyn	27	25	.519
Newark	26	26	.500
Baltimore	19	32	.373
Buffalo	20	36	.357

Buffalo, N. Y., June 17. — Buffalo put a stop to Chicago's winning streak by capturing the second game of today's double header, 7 to 5, the visitors having won the first game, 5 to 2. In the second game Pitcher Hendrix as a pinch hitter made a home run with one man on.

First game:
Chicago .....000 000 500—5 10 2
Buffalo .....000 002 000—2 3 3
McConnell and Fischer; Bedient, Marshall and Blair.

Second game:
Chicago .....110 000 102—5 6 4
Buffalo .....012 000 031—7 9 1
Johnson, Brennan and Wilson; Schulz and Allen.

Brooklyn, June 17. — Ed. Konetchy pounded out an easy victory for Frank Allen today, Pittsburg winning from Brooklyn—8 to 3. Konetchy got two doubles and two singles out of four trips to the plate, accounting for four runs. The visitors scored four runs in the eighth in bunting.

Pittsburgh .....101 002 040—8 13 3
Brooklyn .....000 001 011—3 10 2
Allen and O'Connor; Marion and Land.

Baltimore, June 17. — Kansas City gave Chief Bender a severe drubbing today, forcing his retirement in the fourth inning and winning, 9 to 5.

Kasas City .....031 500 000—9 16 3
Baltimore .....010 020 002—5 10 3
Cullop and Easterly; Bender, Conley, Vereker, Douglass and Owens.

Newark ,June 17.—A double play in the ninth with the bases filled prevented Newark from winning today in the third game of the series with St. Louis. The Westerners won, 3 to 2.

St. Louis .....000 002 100—3 9 2
Newark .....101 000 000—2 9 0
Croom, Flank and Hartley; Moran, Kaiserling and Rariden.

CUBS BEAT BROOKLYN IN 19-INNING BATTLE

Giants Defeat Pirates in First of the Series.

Phillies Defeated by Cincinnati by Star Work of Herzog—Pirates Unable to Bunch Hits off Marquard.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Pittsburg 1; New York 3.
At Cincinnati 2; Philadelphia 1.
At St. Louis 2; Boston 0.
At Chicago 4; Brooklyn 3; (19 in.)

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
New York at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	28	21	.571
Philadelphia	27	22	.551
St. Louis	29	26	.527
Boston	24	25	.490
Pittsburg	23	25	.479
Brooklyn	24	27	.471
New York	21	24	.467
Cincinnati	20	26	.435

Chicago, June 17.—Zabel, of Chicago, and Pfeffer, of Brooklyn, today fought a 19-inning game to a finish which was heart-breaking from the standpoint of the visiting pitcher, for the Cubs won 4 to 3, despite his brilliant work.

The game set a season's record for number of innings. Pfeffer worked all through the contest. Zabel succeeded Humphries when the latter's hand was split by Wheat's hit in the first inning.

Erratic support was given both slabmen. Every Brooklyn run was directly helped in by an error, and two of Chicago's were due to misplays, Fisher counting the winning score when Cutshaw threw wild on Williams' hard grounder in the 19th. Fast fielding saved scores for both sides, too, infielders and outfielders vieing in desperate efforts to prevent runs. Twice the score was tied when the game seemed over. With two out in the eighth and Chicago leading two to one Fisher fumbled O'Mara's grounder and Myers scored him with a double. In the 15th Cutshaw singled, took third because nobody covered second when Phelan threw there on Wheat's hit and scored on Miller's drive. Then Saer tied the count again by slamming the scoreboard for a home run.

Fisher's single in the 19th and Schulte's long fly placed the former on second whence he scored on Cutshaw's error.

Each pitcher fanned six and Zabel passed only one batter. Pfeffer walked eight, but three of his passes were designed to avoid danger from a heavy hitter and his judgment was proved right by the event in each instance. McCarty was injured by a collision with Getz and forced out of the play.

Brooklyn—
100 000 010 000 001 0000—3 11 3
Chicago—
200 000 000 000 001 0001—4 15 4
Pfeffer and McCarty; Miller, Humphries, Zabel and Bresnahan.

Pittsburg, June 17.—New York defeated Pittsburg in the first game of the series today 3 to 1. The locals were unable to bunch their hits off Marquard. In the seventh, with men on second and third, Marquard singled and scored the runners. The visitors stole three bases in the seventh.

New York .....000 000 300—3 9 0
Pittsburg .....000 000 010—1 8 2
Marquard and Meyers; McQuillan and Gibson and Murphy.

Cincinnati, June 17.—A three-base hit by Herzog and a single by Wade Killifer after two men were out in the ninth won for Cincinnati from Philadelphia today 2 to 1. Both pitchers worked well but Mayer weakened slightly toward the end of the game.

Philadelphia .....000 001 000—1 6 1
Cincinnati .....000 000 011—2 9 1
Mayer and W. Killifer; Toney and Clarke.

St. Louis, June 17.—St. Louis defeated the world's champions 2 to 0 here today, though Rudolph allowed but one hit until the seventh inning. In that inning, however, St. Louis made two runs on two singles, a base on balls and a sacrifice hit, coupled with Smith's wild throw past first.

Boston .....000 000 000—0 6 1
St. Louis .....000 000 20*—2 4 1
Rudolph and Gowdy; Robinson and Snyder.

WHITNEY, ADIAR, BUS HAND DEXTER REACH SEMI-FINALS

Real Fight for Golf Championship Between Dexter and Whitney.

Atlanta, Ga., June 17.—Nelson Whitney, of New Orleans; Perry Adair, of Atlanta; R. G. Bush, Jr., of New Orleans, and C. L. Dexter, of Dallas, today reached the semi-finals in the anual championship tournament of the Southern Golf Association here. Tomorrow Whitney will be matched with Bush and Adair with Dexter.

Golf experts who have followed closely the play of this quartette in the present tournament tonight predicted that the real fight for the championship would come Saturday between Whitney and Dexter. In the morning round today, Whitney had little trouble in disposing of G. N. Aldridge, of Dallas, and his defeat of Jack Howard, of Montgomery, in the afternoon was still easier. Dexter took his match from W. Bouden, of New Orleans, in the morning by a liberal margin and won handily from C. B. Bramme in the afternoon.

Easily the most interesting match of the day one one that attracted a large gallery was that between Perry Adair, the 16-year-old Atlanta player, and Bryan Heard, the Houston veteran. Although more than 40 years marked the difference in their ages, this pair fought a battle that was astonishingly even, being decided on the nineteenth green when Adair ran down a four-foot put fo ra five to Heard's six.

WRESTLING MATCH TO BE GIVEN TONIGHT.

Fritz Hansen and Eddie Schultz to Try for Honors—Two Bouts.

Everything is in readiness for the big wrestling match which will take place tonight at 8:30 o'clock in Cunningham's athletic club on the third floor of the Woolvin building. The first match will be between Fritz Hansen, the European welterweight champion, and Eddie Schultz, of Louisville, Ky. Both athletes have already arrived in the city and those who have seen them predict a most interesting match. Each man weighs about 150 pounds and both are in prime condition.

Following the match between Hansen and Schultz, Johnny Cunningham, of Wilmington, will defend his title to the world's featherweight championship against "The American Eagle." The promoters of the bout declare that they are in the dark as to who this wrestler is but say his manager has put up the regulation forfeit and promised to pull off the bout as scheduled. The stranger is expected to arrive today.

Cunningham returned last night from Norfolk, Va., where he wrestled with Jack Green. He got the first fall in 14 minutes and the second fall in 19 minutes. He is in good condition for the match tonight.

Mat fans will all be on hand tonight to see the German and the Russian grapple to a finish. (advertisement.)

New Market, England, June 17.—The New Oaks stakes, a war time substitute for the Epsom Oaks stakes of $25,000 for three-year old fillies, was run here today and won by Snow Martene. Bright was second and Silver Tag was third. Eleven horses including Herman B. Duryea's Flash V. started.

New York, June 17.—F. C. Inman, twice winner of the Metropolitan Tennis Championship, who was playing through the present tournament in an effort to make the cup his personal property, was defeated today. He fell before Leonard Beekman, national inter-scholastic champion, 8-6, 6-1.

Furniture—Auction sale at 106 Dock street Saturday at 3 and 7 p. m.
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FOR COTTON GRADERS IN NORTH CAROLINA

Federal Government to Co-Operate With State

Result of Conference of Major Graham With Department Officials in Washington—Interesting Political Gossip.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 17.—Major W. A. Graham, Commissioner of Agriculture, conferred yesterday in Washington with the chief of the bureau of markets in the United States Department of Agriculture, relative to the matter of the Government providing expert cotton graders this fall to grade the cotton for the farmers in the cotton belt of this State, and received assurances that the United States department will be in position to supply at least a limited number of graders for those counties that will undertake to provide for the local expenses of the grading work.

Major Graham has worked out a system by which he believes the counties can get the great benefits of this official grading at very small cost both to the counties and to the Federal government. His plan is approved, too, by the chief of the division of markets at Washington. It is for the county authorities to provide for a secretary to receive from the ginners the samples of the cotton as baled and have them ready for the expert grader on his periodical visitations. In this way the samples can be accumulated as the cotton is ginned and prepared for market; the county secretary can be custodian for these samples and the grader would travel from county to county in whatever circuit of counties he found it possible to serve in this way. He would pass on the grades and then the samples would be re-distributed to growers by the secretary or clerk in charge. The indications are that numbers of the counties will undertake this work this fall. Edgecombe tried it out under the auspices of the State and the Federal departments of agriculture last season and found that it worked admirably.

Simmons Paper for Bickett.

The fact that the Lexington Dispatch, H. B. Varner, editor, comes out this week in advocacy of Attorney General T. W. Bickett for governor, is taken to be further evidence of the insistence from high political sources in the Democratic party that there is to be no factional line-ups in the impending campaign for governor. Editor Varner and his paper are of the most avowed Simmons proclivities and his espousal of the Bickett candidacy is taken to mean that Senator Simmons and his aides have no idea of calling on their supporters in the interest of either of the candidates for governor—Bickett or Daughtridge—or any others that may enter the contest. It is insisted that there is no possibility for old Kitchin-Simmons-Horne or other Democratic party alignments to get any recognition and that it is a free-for-all contest.

Governor Craig issued a commission today to Hon. M. L. Shipman, Commissioner of Labor and Printing, as a delegate from this State to the annual convention of the Governmental Labor Officials of the United States to be held in Detroit beginning June 28. Mr. Shipman will return by Atlantic City where he is also a delegate from this State for the annual convention of the Anti-Saloon League of America July 6 to 9.

THEATRICAL

"The Cabaret" is the title of the new music show which goes on at the Victoria Theatre today, being the change of bill offered by the Almedora Musical Comedy Company, the popular and swell aggregation now so successfully holding the boards at this playhouse. It is another big bunch of music, mirth and general brightness, and theatregoers should be certain to behold it. The performance of the new show will be staged this afternoon at matinee and will be repeated at two performances tonight and also tomorrow. The Saturday matinee is generally a big affair and tomorrow's event promises to be of this type, especially as the present attraction is exceedingly popular with the ladies and children. The matinee prices are indeed tiny, being but 5 cents for children and 10 cents for adults. However, the evening prices

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The Almedora Musical Comedy Company is without doubt one of the best attracions of its merry kind that has ever played the Victoria and it has received the approbation of the amusement-lovers in no small way. It is a company of clever comedians and comediennes and has a big bunch of the prettiest and most graceful girlies, who compose a chorus that presents charming musical numbers at every performance.

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Princess Hassan at the Bijou.

Today the Bijou Theatre offers the first episode of that widely heralded Princess Hassan series of graphic photoplays depicting her actual experiences while in the great Egyptian harem the most sensational, elaborate and unique series of photoplays ever filmed. The metropolitan newspapers have devoted whole pages to the escapades of Ola Humphrey, American actress, who became infatuated with the heir apparent to the land of the Pharaohs, only to become dissatisfied with her life in the harem and escape, returning to America, where the Universal has persuaded her to reveal all the mysteries of that great and unknown organization for the first time.

These photoplays are produced with all the gorgeous and elaborate Oriental settings to make them the real thing, and the critics have pronounced the first episode the most splendid piece of photoplay work ever seen. There will be six episodes, one every Friday for six weeks, telling the complete story of Princess Hassan's life in the harem, and no one who wants to get the real inside dope, for the first time, should miss a single one of the episodes, each of which will be in two reels.

"The New Exploits of Elaine" begins today, with Edwin Arden, Arnold Daley and Pearl White, being a continuation of the thrilling exploits which have ben shown weekly for the past 14 weeks.

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Action of Directors Not Altogether Unexpected—Reason for Action.

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Suspension of the dividend was foreshadowed a few weeks ago when directors deferred action, pending more definite returns of earnings. The last dividend—one one per cent.—was declared in December, 1914, and covered no stated period.

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Stock earnings for the fiscal year will be equivalent to about four per cent., according to advance figures, the statement continued.

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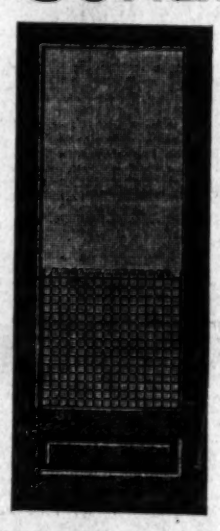

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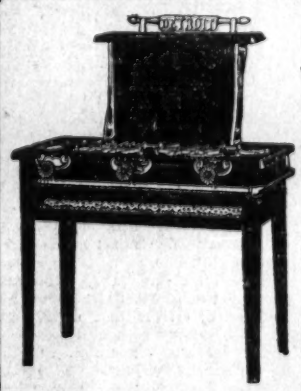

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FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1915.

TOP O' THE MORNING

God offers to every mind its choice between truth and repose. Take which you please, you can never have both.
—EMERSON.

When we "twist the British Lion's tail" and the British lion looks around and sees who it is, he knows we are only monkeying with it as usual.

It is said that the United States could put two million men in the field. A farmer says he wishes it would do it right away, for the grass is about to take every field he has seen.

It is stated that butter is being made from sunflower seed. Probably butter made from the oil of sunflower seed is just as good as that made from several kinds of junk already utilized for the purpose.

Chicago has been contending with a big strike. It is surprising to learn that there was prosperity enough anywhere to warrant a strike. Ordinarily it has been a poor time to strike during the past ten months.

Why should we stop to listen to the fury of a "tempest in a teapot"? Why not wait till it is necessary to put our ear to the ground to listen to the roar of laughter that will be indulged in about a year hence?

The belligerents all complain that each libels the other. They don't seem to mind being killed by each other, but if we were a belligerent we would prefer to be libelled all the time rather than to be killed once.

"Republics are ungrateful," a disgruntled statesman remarked. "Sure, Mike!" a one-gallows man observed. "They surs are, but they have to do something in self-defense when you fellows try to use them as an asset."

Many a man who would not mind standing on the firing line and being shot, could not stand for a dictaphone to eavesdrop what he has to say, or to be peered at through a brick wall by means of an electric contraption recently invented by Marconi.

It is reported that the Germans have learned from experience that some of the farming lands in France, Belgium and Russian Poland produce as good crops as those in Germany and are worth every cent of the valuation placed on them for taxation.

When last year's fashion was in vogue a man hapepned to mention to his wife that he met one of her lady friends down town. "What did she have on?" his wife immediately inquired, all aglow with interest in the answer before she got it. "She wore an unusually sweet smile," he replied, "and a few pretty clothes to match."

There isn't any need of being wild and woolly now. The quality with which we have to face a crisis or meet a critical situation is serious, soulful purpose. When it gets worse we have to get some grim determination to enable us to face the music that might be on the programme we arrange for ourselves.

A friend says he used to long to live on Easy street, but he wishes now he could live as well as he did when he refused to be satisfied with good circumstances. He declares he is becoming to be reconciled to the fact that he is living and does not have to take a hand in a battle that lasts a whole year. If we only knew when we are doing well!

One of the screamingly funny things is a Republican's explanation as to why cotton sold at 4 1-2 cents when Harrison was president and is selling at 8 to 9 cents while Wilson is president. The real reason is an economic one, of course, and a Republican will be glad to admit that. But when it comes to a comparison between higher prices with a Republican president and lower prices with a Democratic president, economic reasons are thrown to the winds. Then it is only a political reason.

TWO GREAT ANNIVERSARIES.

The anniversaries of two great events occurred this week, June 15th being the seven hundredth anniversary of the signing of Magna Charta, while today is the hundredth anniversary of the downfall of Napoleon Bonaparte and the end of the Napoleonic wars which had almost brought Europe to ruin. Following the overthrow of Napoleon, Europe returned to feudalism, and precisely as the century following ends, Europe finds itself in the throes of even a greater war than that which finally put an end to "The Terror of Europe," as Napoleon was called on account of his militarism and consuming ambition.

So far as mankind is concerned, the promulgation of Magna Charta far outweighs in importance the snuffing out of the monstrous ambition of Bonaparte the Terrible. Wherever there are gatherings of lawyers about this time, they revert to Magna Charta. In a celebration at Albany, N. Y., Tuesday, June 15, former United States Senator Elihu Root, a great American lawyer of our day, made the chief address on the occasion of exercises commemorating the signing of Magna Charta by King John. Seven hundred years ago that meant the abandonment of ancient theories of State, recognition of public and individual rights and entrance upon a broader civilization as it has progressed up to this day when civilization is standing in horror at the world's awfullest war. Is that a departure from civilization, and to what will Europe revert after this war?

At the Albany celebration commemorating Magna Charta, Senator Root turned aside from his subject to assert that in attacking Belgium and sinking the Lusitania, Germany returned to the theories of the ancients that the State is not bound by rules of morality as are individuals. An opposite view, he declared, was the hope of mankind. Senator Root made this notable remark during the course of an exceedingly able and informing address:

"The first theory of the ancient republics, that the state is all in all and that the individual derives his rights as a member, is the principle which was applied in Belgium. It also is the principle which was applied to the Lusitania. It is logical and its inevitable result is that the state is freed from those rules of morality by which individual men are bound. The other asserted in the great charter, by logical and inevitable results, binds the state by the rules of morality which the individual recognizes and this supremacy of that rule of right, governing all men and all states and powers, is the hope of mankind."

That makes us stop to think. Has the full aim of Magna Charta been attained or do we adopt the theory generally and carry it out in part only in practice? War in 1915 or at another date in this era of civilization is proof positive that we have not accepted Magna Charta as a complete doctrine. God's law says "Thou shalt not kill," and so do the laws of man. Yet by our declarations of war and our participation in war, we give individual, popular and national consent to the right of the state to kill and slaughter and murder. We say that the individual must not kill, but the state may kill if it so decides.

Therefore, we have not in seven hundred years reached the highest ideal of Magna Charta. War itself, as well as "attacking Belgium and the Lusitania," is evidence of the truth that we have held on, in a considerable degree, to the theories of the ancients and are yet committed in theory and practice to barbarism. If the state shall be as moral as the individual, how is it we consent to and condone the state's determination to go forth and kill and that we aid and abet the state by doing it's killing?

AS PUBLIC SENTIMENT CHANGES

Newspapers which called the Hon. Champ Clark a chronic grouch because he did not like Colonel Bryan's course at the Democratic National convention, are now slurring him for not aiding in the present assault on Colonel Bryan for parting official company with President Wilson. They mistake Champ Clark for a small man. He has not forgotten that newspapers which want him to talk now once praised Bryan for downing him. The Nebraska delegation, of which Colonel Bryan was a member, went to the National convention instructed to stand by Clark for the nomination. Colonel Bryan caused the delegation to abandon its instructions, before the nomination was finally made, and the Colonel was called great therefor. So it is that a man gets praise or condemnation according to the drift and ebb and flow of public sentiment.

Recently Teddy brought condemnation on himself for being a jingo and opposing President Wilson's foreign policy. Now, that Teddy has announced that he is for President Wilson's European policy, the press is praising Colonel Roosevelt. It is now shying bricks at Bryan, and so it goes. Some of these days, Colonel Bryan is liable to perform a spectacular stunt and get back into the good graces of the press.

A few years ago President Taft made himself very unpopular with Teddy and most of the people, but Professor Taft has completely ignored his unpopularity and first thing he knows he will cause himself to be acclaimed by the people as a great and distinguished American. Even Teddy might lead the procession for him.

Napoleon was the idol of the people a while and then an exile. He had his ups and downs among a people with so-called mercurial temperament, but is it not a fact that people everywhere are mostly mercurial?

A looker-on in Vienna can see lots of queer things if he keeps on looking. Several months ago, if President Wilson had been running for re-election to the presidency, he might have been beaten by even a man from Podunk. Now, nobody could beat President Wilson and, if Teddy holds out on his side, it will be practically unanimous for Wilson in November next year.

The only thing about it is that President Wilson should be very careful not to make any mistake. If he does, there are few who will remember what a great President he has been up to the time he fails to cross a "t" that somebody wanted him to cross.

GOOD FOR NORTH CAROLINA.

North Carolina has become so greatly interested in the dairy and creamery industry that the dairy division of the United States Department of Agriculture will assist the experiment station of the State Department in an investigation establishing certain economic facts as to dairying. For instance, dairying is an unknown quantity where it never has been tried. By experience we have to ascertain for ourselves the cost of production of milk and butter fat and follow up experiments of our own.

That sometimes is costly. However, the National and State Agricultural departments will make the investigation for us and let us know about it first hand after experiments have been tested. Mr. A. J. Reed, of Raleigh, in charge of the field work of the dairy division of the State Department of Agriculture, was in Greensboro Wednesday and so informed the Greensboro Daily News. He states that an investigation is being planned for Guilford and Forsyth counties, where citizens have interested themselves in ascertaining the cost of producing milk and butter fat. The local dairies will take advantage of the investigation to ascertain the cost of their production and the quality of their product. According to the News, Mr. Reed states that it will be a very thorough investigation, as every item of cost that could possibly be considered in the production of milk and butter fat will be included. This will take in rents, interest on investment, feed, labor and all other items of expense. Such an investigation will be counducted simultaneously in four different states of the union, and it is of special interest to note that North Carolina is the only southern state included. Guilford and Forsyth counties will be the only ones in which the work will be carried on.

The work in Guilford will begin about the middle of July and will continue for a year. It will be done without any cost whatever to the farmers. There are a number of dairy farmers in the country who have been claiming that they could not produce milk and butter fat to sell at certain figures, and these statements have inspired the investigation, in order that a standard may be definitely set. There will be monthly reports on the findings.

A very interesting and important part of the work will be the investigation relative to the cost of producing clean milk, as against that showing a very high bacterial count. Still another will be a study of the cost of growing calves, whereby the departments hope to learn just what the cost is to the farmer to raise calves to a certain age.

The dairy interests in Wilmington are sufficiently large to warrant a similar investigation in New Hanover. Probably the investigators will be able to tell us how much cheaper it would be to produce dairy products by producing our own feed stuffs than by purchasing them, very often at the highest retail prices. We presume the investigators will go that far into the matter, after ascertaining, perhaps, that some of our methods are not as economical as they ought to be to assure the largest profits.

DESCENDANT OF GENERAL GREENE.

The unveiling of the monument to Gen. Nathaniel Greene, erected on the Guilford Battleground, near Greensboro, will occur July 3rd on that historic spot. The event will be all the more notable because of the fact that a lineal descendant of General Greene will unveil the monument to that great American patriot and leader of the Revolutionary days when American liberty was the stake.

Mrs. W. Lewis Hamilton Meader, Jr., of Providence, R. I., is a direct descendant of General Greene and she has written a letter to the Guilford Battleground Company accepting an invitation to be the guest of honor and to take the chief part in the exercises. It is also quite possible that her brother, Mr. George Washington Greene Carpenter, of Boston, will come and assist Mrs. Meader in commemorating the Revolutionary fame of their distinguished ancestor.

The unveiling ceremonies will be exceedingly impressive. There will be a choir of 100 voices to participate in the programme, and there will be military and oratorical features appropriate to the occasion.

It will be a good day to revive our patriotism, and doubtless many descendants of men who fought on that memorable field will attend if they can get there. We are proud of being the descendant of a lieutenant who fought there and who married a woman born right in the vicinity.

Washington dispatches indicate that government officials are optimistic as to the outcome of our controversy with Germany. In contrast with that, Secretary Bryan labored under so much pessimism that he thought the best thing he could do would be to resign and devote all his attention to petting the dove of peace. He acted as if he thought the President and the cabinet expected him to be a stool pigeon instead of letting him be dove tender.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Doc. Taft says if we had a jingo in the White House this country would now be at war with Germany. Bro. Vierick says if Doc. Dernburg had not come over and spoken to us we would now be at war with Germany. Bro. Bryan evidently feels that the reason we are not at war with Germany is that he persuaded them to soften up that last epistle. Thus do opinions vary.—Greensboro News.

Says the Wilmington Star: "Solomon wrote a lot of paragraphs and they were so good that they have been handed down to us through the ages as Proverbs. Solomon was the original pargrapher, but his aim was to emphasize wisdom in a peculiarly pointed way. Matthew, Mark, Luke and John were reporters, but the author of Revelations must have been a magazine writer. By the way, why not call a paragraphers' club a Solomon club in honor of the originator of the profession?" Moses, who wrote an account of the creation of the world in some 350 words, was our idea of a reporter—although of course he did not cover this event personally.—Greensboro News.

A man was in our office last week telling of the increase in wealth, population and general development of a town in Oklahoma in ten years, and put the record up as a flaming example of progress. We got our Bladen book down and showed him a case in Bladenboro township where a man 5 years ago had one little mule, about $20 worth of farm tools, cultivated about 15 acres on a 100 tract of land and owed about $200. Today he has a fine and diversified crop on 35 acres, owns two god mules an da well assortment of up-to-date farming utensils; owes no man a cent, not even his guano bill, and has some little surplus in the bank. That beats the Western town progress.—Clarkton (N. C.) Journal.

A POPULAR INTERPRETATION!

A gentleman chanced to overhear a conversation between two negroes which ran somewhat in this way:

Bill—"Say Sam, is dey any nues?"

Sam—"Nuttin nu 'cept Mr. Bryan zins cause ob de sinking ob de Lucytan."

Bill—"Wat dat? Wno is de Lucytan?"

Sam—"De Lucytan wux the biggest ship in the wuld, and de Gummens sink her wid a zeblin."

Bill—"Wat dat? Wat's a zeblin?"

Sam—"Shore nigger, you don't know wat a zeblin is? It is one ob dem chenes dat dibes down in de water an come up under a ship and blow her up."

Bill—"Why did de Gummens sink de Lucytan?"

Sam—"Dere is a big war on 'tween Englin and Gummeny, and de Lucytan went from New York to Englin wid some rich white folks who wux drown when the ship wux sunk. Mr. Wilson tole Gummeny dat she hab to pay for de men who wux drown, and Gummeny say dat's all right, but bein' dat she is a little hard up for money she want to gib him her note. Mr. Wilson say dat he don't want no note, but he want de cash, but Gummeny send a note anyway, and Mr. Wilson ast Englin what she tink about it and Englin say de note no count. Mr. Bryan say de note is good, and cause he an Mr. Wilson can't gree Mr. Bryan sins.

Bill—"Why Mr. Bryan sine?"

Sam—"Mr. Bryan wux the big man nex to Mr. Wilson, and cause he say de note wux good and cause Mr. Wilson say it want, and say he must hab de cash, Mr. Wilson send de note back to Gummeny and tole her she will hab to shuffle round and git de cash. Den Mr. Bryan he hab some wuds wid Mr. Wilson and say if Mr. Wilson don't tak de note he'll quit, so Mr. Wilson and Mr. Bryan fall out and is now enimies."

Bill—"Tank de Lord dis trouble is 'tween de big white folks and don't 'cern de niggers. Well, Sam, I mus be gwine."

NATIONAL GUARD FIGHTS TYPHOID

State Militia Will Become Immunized to Typhoid Fever.
(State Board of Health.)

"I am a firm believer in typhoid vaccine as a preventative of typhoid fever," said Adjutant General L. W. Young.

"What makes you so strong for it, General?" he was queried.

"I know how it prevents," said he. "Last year there were about 1,700 officers and enlisted men in the North Carolina National Guard who took this anti-typhoid treatment and not one had fever. There were a few who did not take it, who would not take it, and the result was that several of those took the disease that summer and a number died, while not one of the 1,700 had a symptom."

"I see why you believe in it so strongly, General. It is a great thing. There's no doubt about it."

"Yes, indeed," assented General Young, as he continued. "Last summer there was a very spectacular case, and a sad case it was, down at Camp Glenn. There was a young fellow who had not been vaccinated against typhoid, and at that time there were a number of cases in and around Morehead. He was advised by his friends and different ones of his company, the officers especially, to take the treatment. He would not, however, and said he was not afraid of having fever, besides, that he didn't belive in such foolishness. Well, before encampment broke, that fellow was down with typhoid fever and in less than three weeks he was under the sod."

"And vaccination is not compulsory then in the North Carolina militia?"

"No, it is not, but we want it well understood that those who have not already taken the treatment and who are not willing to take it, are undesirable. They are not the men we want. Plans are now on foot to immunize the 1,500 newly enlisted men and it is hoped that there will not be an unvaccinated man in the State militia this summer. It is also hoped that there will not be a single case of typhoid, and if each man will do his part, there will not be."

THE TAX ASSESSMENTS

To the Editor of The Star:

You will kindly add to my remarks of the meeting, or at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, the following:

I came to this meeting in the interest of the citizens of Wilmington, as I am not a member of the Chamber of Commerce, but invited and believe in the equitable adjustment of values between the citizens, the assessors, and the county commissioners, as to the values in property in our city. I could not tell the assessment raised on Seventh street, as there is no record for my block. Rates would have to be raised on some property on account of improved streets, borrowed money and the interest to pay. The druggist is taxed high now.

Fraternally yours,
WILLIAM NIESTLE.

Wilmington, N. C., June 17.

Lumina Pictures Tonight.

"Tracked by Hounds," a Canadian drama, and "Cooky's Adventure," a Kalem comedy. (advertisement.)

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10 yards 6c yard-wide Unbleached Sheeting, for ... 49c
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90-inch Unbleached Sheeting, regular 27½c value; Mill-End sale 22c
11-4 Unbleached Sheeting, regular 30c quality; Mill-End Sale ... 25c
50c White Sheets, 72x90; Mill-End Sale ... 39c
59c White Sheets, 72x90, good quality; Mill-End Sale ... 49c

WEDNESDAY, June 16th, 10 A. M., for one hour, 5,000 yards 10c Fancy Dress Ginghams; beautiful patterns; Special Hour Sale, per yard ... 5c (Limit, 8 Yards.)

Ladies' White Handkerchiefs, 5c values; One-Hour Sale 6 for ... 10c

WEDNESDAY, June 16th, 4 P. M., for one hour, White Dotted Swiss, fine quality, 10c value, yard wide, splendid for half or full length curtains; Special Hour Sale ... 5c (Limit, 10 Yards.)

THURSDAY, June 17th, 10 A. M., for one hour, New Hats, fine Hemp and New Straws; Navy, Black, Sand, Tan, White. Hats that sold at $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00; Mill-End Sale Price ... 50c

And Women's Tan Oxfords and Pumps, $2.00 to $3.50 values; sizes, 2½ to 5. Special One Hour Sale ... $1.00

THURSDAY, June 17th, 4 P. M., for one hour, $2.75 Matting Art Squares, fancy patterns, 9x12; Special Hour Sale, each ... $1.98 (Limit, 2.)

25c Matting Rug, 27x50, beautiful patterns; Special Hour Sale, each ... 15c (Limit, 4.)

FRIDAY, June 18th, 10 A. M., for one hour, 25c Table Cloth; White Damask; 56 inches wide; Special Hour Sale, per yard ... 15c (Limit, 5 Yards.)

25c Ribbon, fancy and plain colors, 5 and 6 inches wide; One Hour Sale ... 15c

FRIDAY, June 18th, 4 P. M., for one hour, Standard Percale; beautiful neat patterns; Special for One Hour Sale; per yard ... 5c (Limit, 8 Yards.)

SATURDAY, June 19th, all day — Shoe Day — Children's Oxfords, $1.25 and $1.50 values ... 89c

Boy's Oxfords, $2.00 to $3.00 values ... 98c

Men's Oxfords, $2.50 to $4.00 values ... $1.98

Women's Oxfords and Pumps, $2.00 to $3.00 values; sizes, 2 1-2 to 5; Special ... $1.39

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On Monday, June 21st, 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will sell on the premises, at No. 109 South Front street, the following described personal property, to-wit:

Stock of groceries now in storehouse at No. 109 South Front street.

All fixtures in said storehouse.

One horse and two delivery wagons.

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R. D. WHITE,
Administrators of estate of Dan. R. Ruark, Deceased. je9-13t

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of the Lighthouse Inspector, Charleston, S. C., until 12 o'clock noon, July 15, 1915, and then opened, for furnishing all materials, labor and constructing a creosoted timber wharf at the site of the new Lighthouse Depot on the Ashley River, at Charleston, S. C. A deposit of $5.00 will be required for each set of plans and specifications. Blank proposals and particulars may be obtained by addressing the Lighthouse Inspector, Charleston, S. C.

Read Star Business Locals.

CONCORD CHAPTER TO OBSERVE CENTENNIAL

Many Prominent Masons To Attend Celebration

Interesting Addresses Tonight at Exercises in Masonic Temple—100th Anniversary of Founding of the Lodge.

The celebration by Concord Chapter, No. 1, Royal Arch Masons, in the Masonic Temple this afternoon and tonight will be an important event and will be attended by many prominent Masons from this and other States. The celebration will begin this afternoon at 4 o'clock when work in the Royal Arch degree will be taken up and will be in charge of the High Priest of the Chapter, Dr. John Thames, who says that the work will be put on exactly as it was done 100 years ago. Past Grand Master W. B. McKoy, historian of Concord Chapter, will read a paper which will contain many interesting facts about Masonry and its connection with the lower Cape Fear.

The meeting this afternoon will be followed by an elobarte banquet in the Scottish Rite hall tonight at 8:30 o'clock when addresses will be made by Past Grand Master Henry Banks, of La Grange, Ga.; Grand Lecturer W. C. Wicker, of Elon College, and Hon. Henry A. Grady, of Clinton. Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure will oellver the address of welcome.

The Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of North Carolina will be represented by Dr. J. F. Rhem, of Newbern, who will arrive today. The visiting Masons, arriving today to attend the celebration will be met by the members of a special committee and escorted to the Orton Hotel, where special arrangements have been made for their entertainment while they are in the city as the guests of Concord Chapter.

The members of the committee are R. H. Pickett, H. G. Smallbones, Dr. W. E. Storm, W. B. McKoy, C. H. Robinson, E. S. Martin, Esq., W. D. MacMillan, Jr., W. A. French, R. C. deRosset, D. R. Foster, O. H. Shoemaker, Dr. J. E. Matthews and Dr. C. L. Pridgen.

The programme for the exercises tonight was announced yesterday and is as follows:

Toastmaster—Dr. John Thames, P. H. P., High Priest Concord Chapter No. 1.

Address of Welcome—Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure.

Response—H. S. Averett, High Priest, Phoenix Chapter, No. 2, Fayetteville.

Progressive Masonry—Henry A. Grady, P. H. P., Clinton Chapter, No. 40.

An Arch Without a Keystone—W. C. Wicker, P. H. P., Grand Lecturer, Grand Chapter of North Carolina.

The Bible and Freemasonry—Henry Banks, P. G. H. P., Captain of Hosts, General Grand Chapter, U. S. A.

Music—Orchestra.

The menu will be as follows:

Olives Pickles
Broiled Squab Chicken
North Carolina Ham
Green Peas Creamed Potatoes
Shrimp Salad
Hot Rolls
Ice Cream Sally White Cake
Coffee
Cigars Cigarettes

The officers of Concord Chapter follow:

High Priest—John Thames.
King—W. R. Nye.
Scribe—E. L. Fonveille.
Treasurer—E. O. Penny.
Secretary—Jas. H. Taylor, Jr.
Captain of Host—S. L. Boyd.
Sojourner—C. L. Terry.
Royal Arch Captain—Thos. J. Moore.
Master Third Veil—W. N. Bethea.
Master of Second Veil—C. F. Nurnberger.
Master First Veil—W. K. Allen.
Sentinel—H. K. Holden.

The chairmen of the committes for the centennial on the programme are as follows:

Arrangements—John Thames, P. H. P., H. P.
Entertainment—B. H. Stephens, P. H. P.
Reception—O. H. Shoemaker, P. H. P.
Invitation—J. H. Taylor, Jr.
Banquet—R. C. deRosset.

W. B. McKoy, P. G. M., is the historian of Concord Chapter.

MAY SELL ICE CREAM CONES ON STREETS.

State Takes Nol Pros in Case Against Joseph Stephanos.

The State, through County Solicitor Geo. L. Peschau, took a nol pros in the Recorder's court yesterday afternoon in the case against Joseph Stephanos, indicted last week under the charge of violating Section 94 of the health regulations of the city and county, prohibiting the sale of ice cream in cones on the streets or public highways. The case came up last week, and was continued, being taken up again yesterday afternoon.

Solicitor Peschau reiterated yesterday afternoon his statement to the court when the case first came up, to the effect that the ordinance apparently prohibited the sale of ice cream or similar products under any conditions upon the streets or sidewalks of the city, but that the construction he thought should be placed upon the ordinance was that it was intended to prohibit the sale of ice cream or similar products in the ordinary way on the streets, by dipping from freezers and exposing to dust, filth, etc., from the streets.

After conferring with the county health officer and certain members of the Board of Health, he said, he and they agreed that the intent was not to prohibit ice cream manufactured from wholesome material and so handled in sealed packages as to be protected from dust, etc., even though it was sold on the streets. In view of the fact that the Board of Health had intimated it was intended to amend the ordinance so as to permit the sale of ice cream, wholesome in manufacture, if sold in sanitary sealed packages on the streets, he did not feel that the defendant should be prosecuted and, if found guilty, punished. Therefore, he asked that a nol pros be entered.

City of Savannah.

The steamer City of Savannah, which sailed a few weeks ago on her third and last trip from this port this season with cotton for Europe, will sail on return trip next Sunday. The following is from yesterday's Savannah Morning News: "The steamer City of Savannah is expected to sail from Havre, France, Sunday and will upon her arrival on this side be placed back on the Savannah Line. The vessel carried a cargo of cotton across, having made the trip safely and without any trouble. She was compelled to wait in Havre for some time for berth room to discharge her cargo."

ARRANGE TO RENEW NOTE

Council Authorizes Loan of $50,000 at Special Meeting Yesterday—For Current Expenses.

At a special meeting yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock City Council authorized the borrowing of $50,000 which is to be used in renewing a note which will be due in a few days. The rate of interest specified is 3 1-2 per cent. Councilman McCaig, who introduced the resolution, said that there is only enough money in the treasury to meet the pay rolls for the current month and that his department was in the market for $100,000 to be used in meeting current expenses during the summer and to pay interest on bonds, due on July 1.

The following resolution was adopted at the meeting yesterday:

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"Whereas, it is necessary for the city of Wilmington, North Carolina, to borrow a sum of money for its necessary and current expenses during the period intervening prior to the collection of taxes for the present fiscal year, which said taxes are not due until the first day of October, 1915;

"Now, therefore, be it resolved, by the Council of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, That the city borrow from Eyer & Co., the sum of fifty thousand ($50,000) dollars, upon its negotiable promissory note, payable to bearer on the first day of September, 1915, at the Hanover National bank, in New York; the said note to be dated June 19, 1915, and to bear interest at the rate of 3 1-2 per centum per annum.

"And the mayor of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, is hereby authorized and directed to execute in the name of the said city the said promissory note, by him, as mayor, and the city clerk and treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to attest the execution of said note and the corporate seal of the said city is directed to be affixed to said note, and said clerk and treasurer is authorized to deliver the said promissory note of the city, upon the payment to him of the said sum of fifty thousand ($50,000) dollars."

MUSICAL PROGRAMME FOR THE SEASIDE CHAUTAUQUA

Wilmington Orchestra Will Furnish Entertainment for Baptists.

The West-Whitlocks orchestra has been secured to furnish music at the Oceanic Hotel for the Baptist Seaside Chautauqua at Wrightsville Beach next week. Mr. E. L. Middleton, of Raleigh, secretary of the committee on arrangements, will arrive in the city today.

Following is the musical programme which was anounced yesterday:

Monday.

Overture, "Greetings" (Mahl).
Irish reverie, "Eileen," (Sparr).
Clarinet solo, "Helena," (Klose).
By Prof. Henri Georges.
Waltzes, "Adele," (Briquet).
March, "A LaCarte," (Holzman).

Tuesday.

Selection, "Alma," (Briquet).
Trombone solo, "Rocked in the Cradle of the deep," (Lauandau), Mr. Robt. H. Morris.
Waltzes, "Dreaming," (Joyce).
Cornet solo, "The Holy City," (Adams), Mr. Ernest Bagwell.
March, "Alsace-Lorraine," (Muir).

Wednesday.

Grand choral recital, directed by Prof. William G. Robertson, Wilmington, N. C.

Thursday.

March, "The Whip," (Holzman).
Waltzes, "Hearts Aflame," (Arnold).
Oriental Novelty, "Hindu Man," (Eugene).
Idyll, "At Evening Time," (Jones).
"Long Cabin Rag," (Shannon).

Friday.

Selection, "The Spring Maid," (Reinhardt).
Waltzes, "Geraldine," (Lodge).
Clarinet Solo, "Lang, Lang It's Her," (Ritter), Prof. Henri Georges.
Schottische, "Madam Sherry," (Hoschna).
Medley, "Poet and Peasant-Light Calvary," (Lake).

Saturday.

Overture, "Adele," (Briquet).
March, "A LaCarte," (Holzman).
Waltz novelty, "They're All Going to the Movies," (Allan).
March "Co-Ed," (Zamenick).
"Hungarian Rag," (Lenzberg).

Sunday.

Sacred overture, "Hallelujah," (Lewis).
Trombone solo, "Asleep in the Deep," (Petrie), Mr. Robert H. Morris.
Sacred medley "Work for the Night," (Sanglear).
Reverie "Eileen," (Sparr).
March, "Dublin Bay," (Murphy).

DELEGATES APPOINTED.

Governor Craig Names Two Wilmingtonians as Delegates to Convention.

Senator W. B. Cooper and Mr. W. H. Sprunt, of Wilmington, are two of 20 delegates appointed by Governor Locke Craig to represent North Carolina at the convention of the Anti-Saloon League of America at Atlantic City July 6th to 9th inclusive. The appointments were made at the request of the headquarters committee of the North Carolina Anti-Saloon League. The other members of the committee are:

N. B. Josey, Scotland Neck; Walter E. Daniel, Weldon; Rev. R. L. Gay, Washington; C. S. Wallace, Morehead City; C. G. Morris, Washington; J. M. Beaty, Smithfield; J. A. Hartness, Statesville; Rev. Richard Bagby, Wilson; Gen. Julian S. Carr, Durham; J. M. Rogers Winston-Salem; Rev. D. I. Craig, Reidsville; John A. Oates, Fayetteville; Dr. F. R. Harris, Henderson; Geo. E. Major, Hertford; Heriot Clarkson, Charlotte; Dr. W. A. Harper, Elon College; Rev. H. A. Humble, Kinston; Dr. L. S. Blades, Elizabeth City.

EXCORIATED THE DEALER.

Mr. W. H. Ward Alleged to Have Used Indecent Language in Letter.

Mr. W. H. Ward, an engineer on one of the boats on the Cape Fear river, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy United States Marshal J. N. Fennell on a charge of violating the United States Postal Laws by sending a letter through the mails which is alleged to have contained indecent language. He gave bond in the sum of $250 with Mr. J. W. Brooks as surety for his appearance at noon on July 8th before United States Commissioner George Harriss.

The letter which the defendant is alleged to have written was addressed to a mail order whiskey house in Richmond and warmly excoriated the dealer because of a failure to make a shipment of booze for which $2 was said to have been sent.

In the Recorder's Court.

Lula Hilf, colored, was tried in Recorder Empie's court yesterday for an assault. Judgment was suspended on payment of costs. Robert Spicer, colored, for an assault on a female, judgment continued.

WHY DISCONTINUE MARKET

Dr. Nesbitt Explains Attitude of Health Department and Reviews Past History.

The attitude of the Health Department and the Board of Health in insisting that the Front street market house be discontinued as a place for the sale of meats and converted into a cart house for the sale of country produce, as well as the reasons for this attitude, are covered in a statement given to the press yesterday by Dr. Charles T. Nesbitt, county health officer.

"In order that the people shall understand the attitude of the Board of Health and the Health Department toward the city market," said Dr. Nesbitt, "it will be necessary to review the history of the situation.

"In 1911, when the health department of the city was re-organized, one of the first matters receiving attention was the city market. The market building itself was unscreened, badly drained and unspeakably filthy. It was the center of the retail meat business of the city. Cuts of meat were exposed to flies and filthy handling, furniture, and implements of the butchers were dirty, their refrigerators were foul and there was but one conclusion to be drawn with reference to the danger existing in the handling of meats in this place and manner to the public health.

"The situation as to the surroundings of the market was equally as bad. Immediately across the street, in Racket Store alley, there was a filthy condition which defied description. The block north of the city market was almost as bad.

"It was thought at the time that with cleaning up the surroundings and the reconstruction of the interior of the market, it could be placed in a fit condition for the sale of meats. The Health Department prepared plans, specifications and recommendation with this end in view, but these were carried out in part only.

The inside of the market house was not cleaned and the screening that was applied was not effective in any way.

"Later it was arranged that the two leading meat dealers, in consideration of being granted long leases on their spaces in the market, should install a refrigerating plant and refrigerating show cases, so that meats need not be exposed in the dirty unscreened interior of the market, and to unnecessary handling.

"This arrangement was completed, and after spending many thousand dollars the butchers refused to use the refrigerating show cases for their proper purpose, and continued to hang their meats in the open air, exposed to dust, swarms of flies and to any one who chose to handle them.

"The health department made an attempt to force these butchers to cover their meats and handle them correctly. The legal question immediately arose as to the responsibility of the butchers for the condition of the market house. It was found that the butchers were responsible only for their stalls and fixtures, and that the city was responsible for the condition of the market itself. A successful prosecution under health regulations depended upon the prosecution of both parties. It has never been possible to secure an indictment of the city through representations made to grand juries. This has been attempted time and again without success.

"There was, therefore, nothing left to be done except to await an opportunity to remove the meat business from the city market, where it was known to be a danger to health. If the retail meat business of the town is carried on in a place where the owner of the business can be held responsible for the condition of the building, inside and out, as well as the furnishings, fixtures and the acts of himself and employes, it is possible to secure effective regulation under health laws. When there is divided responsibility, and one of the parties cannot be reached through ordinary channels of law, it is manifestly impossible to handle any situation.

"The opportunity for making the desired change presented itself when the farm demonstrator and truckers of the county demanded sheltered market facilities. The market house immediately suggested itself as offering a logical solution, a simple calculation establishing that enough carts could be accommodated inside the market to give as great a return as is now received from the renting of stall spaces, and that there are enough carts now coming to the city to supply a patronage for the market ample to insure a satisfactory financial return.

"When this condition arose the matter was taken up with the former City Council, and discussed in open meeting. A committee was appointed by the Council to meet with the long term lessees of the city market. This conference was held in the health department. Mr. Davis, of Davis & Hintze, and Mr. Hopkins, of J. J. Hopkins & Son, expressed their entire willingness to forfeit their leases and remove to quarters of their own providing. Subsequently a conference was held with City Attorney Bryan relative to the same matter, and while the health department was not officially notified by the Council, it was generally understood that an agreement had been made whereby the long time lessees could vacate the building at no loss to themselves.

"Further than this the health department did nothing, it being understood that both the Council and the lessees were entirely satisfied.

"The health department continued its tests, however, in the effort to show that the city market is an unfit place in which to expose fresh meats and other such foods for sale. Our findings have led us to the conclusion that not only is this true, but that it would require an expenditure of a very large sum on the part of the city to put this building in such a sanitary condition that it would meet the requirements of the regulations of the Board of Health.

"If the city government does not maintain a building rented as a market in conformity to the health regulations, and cannot be made to do so by due process of law, as has been attempted repeatedly, it is impossible for the Board of Health to enforce these regulations with reference to other places of business. We cannot enforce a law which the city continues to violate, and our efforts at regulating the food supplies will be practically destroyed so long as the city continues to violate the regulations designed solely to protect the health of the citizens."

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SENATOR COOPER STANDS PAT

Will Insist on Appointment of Another Man to Succeed Chairman Carr on Board of Education.

Senator W. B. Cooper said yesterday that he expects to go to Raleigh next Tuesday to present his side of the question as to the appointment of a member of the County Board of Education to succeed J. O. Carr, Esq., the present chairman, whose term expires July 1st. Dr. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, who will make the appointment, has arranged to have a hearing at that time for the purpose of taking up the matter.

The failure of the last General Assembly to appoint a chairman because of a difference of opinion between Representative Stacy and Senator Cooper leaves the appointment to the State Superintendent. Representative Stacy, it will be remembered, advocated the re-appointment of Mr. Carr while Mr. Cooper favored another man.

It is quite likely that there will be a large delegation of Wilmington citizens in attendance at the hearing Tuesday. In a letter to Dr. Joyner several weeks ago, Chairman Carr stated that he expected to leave the matter entirely with his friends. Representative Stacy said several days ago that if Senator Cooper attended the hearing before Dr. Joyner that he would also be present. It is understood that several of Mr. Carr's friends have already arranged to go.

Mr. Cooper said yesterday that he was inclined to think that the county outside of Wilmington is entitled to one member of the board and he thought Mr. G. W. Trask, who lives on the Castle Haynes road, would make a good man. He said Mr. Trask had not sought appointment on the board but he felt sure that he would serve, if appointed.

If the appointment was made from Wilmington, Mr. Cooper said, he favored the appointment of Mr. Cuthbert Martin, who is one of the younger business men of the city. He said that he didn't know that Mr. Martin had voted for him in the last election and that it certainly was not for this reason that he favored his appointment in the event that a Wilmington man is named. Mr. Cooper said that a strong point in Mr. Martin's favor is that he does not dabble in local politics.

Speaking of the present Board of Education, Mr. Cooper said he did not know how Messrs. Solomon and Gieschen had voted in the last election but that he considered them to be men of the type best suited to serve on such a board.

In this connection he pointed out that Mr. Carr had been strongly identified with one of the factions of the Democratic party in the last primary campaign and that he has always been active in politics both in Duplin county, where he resided before coming to this city, and since coming to Wilmington.

Laughingly Mr. Cooper remarked that with the active part he has taken in politics recently that he did not consider he would be a fit man to serve in such a capacity. He expressed it as his belief that members of the board should not engage in politics.

He declared that he wanted to do nothing that would retard the progress of the schools but could not see that the services of any one man is necessary to guarantee their future success. He did not think that the appointment of any particular man was essential and felt sure that even with an entirely new board that their progress would continue uninterrupted.

INSURANCE AGENTS TO MEET IN HENDERSONVILLE.

Annual Convention Will be Held Next Week—Programme.

Wilmington will be represented by several insurance men at the 18th annual convention of the North Carolina Association of Insurance Agents which will be held in Hendersonville, June 24 and 25. The programme follows:

Thursday, June 24, 11 A. M.
Invocation—Rev. R. N. Wilcox, Hendersonville.
Address of Welcome—E. W. Ewbank, Hendersonville.
Response—Robert E. Follin, Winston-Salem.
Roll call.
President's address—W. B. Merrimon, Greensboro.
Report of secretary and treasurer—W. E. Sharpe, Burlington.
Afternoon session, 3 o'clock:
Address, The Company and the Agents—H. R. Bush, president Dixie Fire Insurance Company.
Five minute talks, "On Value of Agents' Qualification Law"—by W. J. Griswold, Durham; W. L. Mann, Albemarle; P. R. Moale, Asheville. Open discussion.
4:30—Auto ride over city of Hendersonville.
Evening session, 9 o'clock.
Address: Recent Legislation Affecting Insurance Agents—Hon. James R. Young, insurance commissioner.
Address—James H. Southgate, Durham.
Friday, June 25, 10 A. M.:
Report of committees.
Address: The Rating Bureau and Its Relation to the Agents—Paul B. Huifish, Raleigh.
Address: Merit Rating System Casualty Insurance—Waltem Lambeth, Charlotte.
Five minute talks, Uniform Time for Payment of Premium to Apply to Entire State.—Paul W. Schenck, Greensboro; W. C. Maupin, Salisbury.
Afternoon session, 2:45 o'clock.
Miscellaneous business.
Invitation for next meeting.
Election of officers.
Adjournment.

MR. J. T. BURKE OFFERS STILL ANOTHER PRIZE.

Handsome Diamond Lavallier as Third Prize in Bijou Contest.

It remained for Mr. J. T. Burke, the South Front street jeweler to do the handsome thing yesterday, by announcing that he would give to the lady polling third highest vote in the Bijou popularity contest, a handsome solid gold lavallier, set with genuine diamond and pearls. The handsome piece of jewelry is now on display in his show window.

The Bijou contest is daily getting warmer, and added interest is being injected into it by the very liberal offers that are being made by some of Wilmington's most enterprising merchants, by which more of the girls will be able to claim rewards at the final wind-up.

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Read this letter from R. K. Stepp, owner of Brookland Farm, near Hendersonville, N. C., and a man of influence in his community:

"It has been 10 years since I started to Greensboro to take your Treatment for the drink habit, and I was a pretty bad wreck, physically and financially. Some of the things I have been able to accomplish since cannot be valued in money. One thing is: I haven't drank one drop of intoxicating liquor since I took the Treatment. I have been able to provide comfortably for my family, to make my home happy and to educate my three children, and have saved a little money besides."

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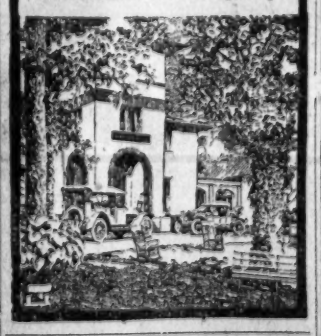

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Lucile McKeithan, of Southport, is in the city on a two weeks' visit to relatives.

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Mrs. J. V. Grainger, Jr., is visiting relatives and friends in Maryland for several weeks.

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Mrs. W. F. Hatchell has returned from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Kelly, at Blaney, S. C.

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Yesterday's Greensboro News: "Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Wheeler will leave tomorrow for Wrightsville Beach to spend a few days."

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Miss Kate Styron will open classes for coaching in Latin and mathematics at the High School building this morning at 9:30 o'clock.

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Mrs. E. Y. Mills, of this city, left yesterday for Whiteville, to be with her uncle, Mr. Joseph Smith, who is critically ill.

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Mrs. J. T. French leaves this morning for Florence, S. C., where she will spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. L. A. McCall.

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The Housewives League will hold a meeting this morning at 10:30 o'clock. Business of special importance will be transacted and all members are requested to be present.

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Mr. Morton Bellamy left yesterday afternoon for Fort Valley, Ga., where he has taken a position with a fruit concern. Mrs. Bellamy has gone to Southport to spend the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dagenhardt and daughter, Miss Edna, have returned from Statesville, where Mr. Dagenhardt was called on account of the death of his father, Mr. Julius Dagenhardt.

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Mr. Fred L. Morris, of Columbia, S. C., has announced the engagement of his daughter, Miss Lena Labelle Morris, to Mr. W. R. Sellers, of Wilmington, the wedding to take place July 20 at his home in Columbia.

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Mr. C. R. Rape has returned from New York city where he went a few days ago on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. Julia Rape, who is in her 86th year. He left his mother only slightly improved.

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The Epworth League of Bladen Street Methodist church will hold its regular monthly social and literary meeting at the church tonight at 8:15 o'clock in the church. An interesting programme of readings and music will be given after which refreshments will be served. All members of the league and their friends are cordially invited.

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—Rev. F. H. Farrington, a former pastor of Southside Baptist church, now pastor of the First Baptist church in Monroe, La., will arrive in the city this morning and will be the guest of Mr. J. F. Littleton, No. 610 South Sixth street. Mr. Farrington is returning from a meeting of the Baptist Foreign Mission Board at Richmond. He is vice president for Louisiana of this body.

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Warsaw, N. C., June 17.—The James Kenan Chapter, U. D. C., held his regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon from 5:30 to 7 with Mrs. D. E. Best as hostess. The handsome parlors were decorated with vases of roses and sweetpeas. The routine business of the chapter was transacted, after which followed the very interesting programmes for May and June on historical subjects connected with the South. Mrs. Best, assisted by Mesdames L. P. Best and J. H. Pierce, served an enjoyable ice course with small Confederate flags as souvenirs. The meeting adjourned with the singing of Dixie.

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Kinston, N. C., June 17.—Harry Murray and Miss Hope Kennedy, prominent young people of this city, were married in a parlor at the Caswell hotel yesterday. Rev. B. P. Smith, of Gordon Street Christian church, performed the ceremony. The groom is a native of Indiana now located here in the automobile business, and Mrs. Murray is a well known member of the younger society set and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kennedy. The wedding was witnessed by only a few friends. Mr. and Mrs. Murray are spending their honeymoon at the Virginia beach resorts.

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LAWN PARTY GIVEN BY GALILEAN BIBLE CLASS

A lawn party was given last evening by the Galilean Bible Class of the Fifth Street Methodist church which was a most enjoyable affair. There was lots of entertainment consisting of games, contests, music and informal social time. Miss Louise Sholar was prize winner for guessing nearest the number of beans in a bottle. Miss Emmie Belle LeGwyn won a prize for having the prettiest coiffeur. Mr. Ivan Palmgreen won a prize for having the most prodigiously loud necktie.

Mr. Blair Contributes Article.

In the June number of the Training School Quarterly, published by the East Carolina Teachers' Training School at Greenville, N. C., Mr. John J. Blair, superintendent of the Wilmington schools, has an interesting and instructive article on "Pictures—Educative and Decorative." The article treats of school decorations and is illustrated with beautiful pictures, some of which are given in colors. Mr. Blair has given this subject long and careful study and his suggestions will be of great help to teachers.

Transfer of Real Estate.

The only transfer of real estate recorded yesterday was M. M. Haney to A. W. Wilson and wife, lot beginning at a point in the north line of Kidder street, 132 feet west of Third street, 33x79 feet in size; and E. T. Burton, Esq., trustee, to the American National Bank, lot on southeast corner of Ninth and Castle streets, 70x89 feet in size.

Fire on Market Street.

Fire was discovered last night at 10:15 o'clock at 120 Market street, in the house occupied by A. S. Boddoun. Hot ashes was the cause of the fire. The alarm was sounded and the fire department reached the scene before much damage was done, only about $10 damage was reported.

John Cunningham will defend his title of World's Featherweight champion tonight at Woolvin's Hall.
(Advertisement.)

Lumina Pictures Tonight.

"Tracked by Hounds," a Canadian drama, and "Cooky's Adventure," a Kalem comedy. (advertisement.)

CAROLINA BANKERS IN ANNUAL SESSION

(Continued From Page One.)

voices the hunger of the human heart in the favorite lines:

'Tis sweet to hear the watchdog's nonest bark,
Bay deep-mouthed welcomed as we draw near home,
'Tis sweet to know there is an eye will mark,
Our coming and grow brighter when we come.'

"And surely no city can give a more royal welcome than Wilmington. Hospitality is of the soul of the Cape Fear. The very name Wilmington is a symphony. Through it runs the whisper of waters, the murmur of night winds, the warble of woodland choristers. In it is the aroma of crushed roses, the tang of the sea, with just a suggestion of hot tamales. Pedestaled upon an heroic past and conscious of her noble lineage, she is none the less athrill with the activities and opportunities of the present hour. She combines dignity with dash, and a courtesy as innate as it is fine, with a robust insistence upon her natural rights. She can attend church without looking bored, and a surf party without looking ridiculous. With perfect consistency she can serve on the same menu a sonata of Beethoven and "A Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight." She deems it not immodest to advertise her charms. Her best citizens frankly admit her greatness, and her Chamber of Commerce feels in honor bound to let the whole world know that, 'Length of days is in her right hand, and in her left hand, riches and honor; her ways are the ways of pleasantness'—and barring, an occasional eruption in city politics—'all her paths are peace.'

"And so, tempted, allured, fascinated beyond all power to resist, we have come. The chief business of a banker is to resist temptation. I suggest as the anthem of this association, 'Yield Not to Temptation.' To yield means bankruptcy, and sometimes, board and lodging at the government's expense. And yet, we have yielded, and are glad of it. We have heard the call of Wilmington and have come, like the children came when the Piper of Hamlin touched his magic flute. The sea nymph, Wrightsville, has made a fool of us, and like Sampson of old, we will tell her all we know, and then some. So find her dainty, dulcet, delicious and Dreamy. Though the quart law is in full force ,and effect, though Budweiser' 'is a memory and 'G. H. Mum' has ceased to be a hope, we can laugh and dance and sing, and all without fear of 'the dark brown taste in the cold gray dawn of the morning after.' Music and moonshine, bangs and breezes, surf and soft-shell crabs brew a Nepenthe kinder than 'Poppy or mandragora, and all the drowsy syrups of this world.' Last night, under its potent charm, I forgot for a whole hour the note that falls due in bank July 1, without grace. Greater happiness than this no man can know.

"Permit me to say to our hostess that she entertains no ordinary guests. They, too, are of ancient and honorable lineage. The first banker of whom we have any authentic history was Joseph. We read in the Book of Genesis that 'He gathered up all the money that was found in the land of Egypt and in the land of Canaan." And from the Nile to the Cape Fear the bankers have, through all the centuries diligently followed the example of the illustrious founder of their tribe. Moreover ,they have harkened unto the words of Solomon, have been 'diligent in business' and have therefore 'stood before kings.'

"I am in a position to state authoritatively that in North Carolina the bankers have rendered noble service. The darkest hour in the State's history since the days of Reconstruction came in the summer of 1909. Three and a half millions of the State's bonds fell due on July 1 of that year. The General Assembly had limited the interest on the refunding bonds to four per cent., and forbade their sale for less than par. The money market was in such condition that the bonds could not be sold on this basis. The city of New York was selling bonds on a basis of four and half per cent. The most strenuous efforts were made by the State Treasurer and the entire administration to place the bonds, but only about one million were taken. In our extremity we tried to borrow on short time the money to pay the maturing bonds but we utterly failed. In desperation I offered to give my personal note for the entire three and a half millions, but for some reson, never fully explained, the proposition did not meet with favor. At this juncture the Governor of the State called upon the bankers to come to her rescue and right nobly did they respond. They met in the Senate chamber in Raleigh and at once subscribed to more than a million of the bonds, and were prepared to take care of the entire issue. Thus was a crisis evaded and the credit of the State, despite the sinister activities of certain agencies in New York, was fully and honorably maintained. In a crucial hour the bankers rendered the State heroic and unselfish service, and here and now I make acknowledgment of their loyalty and devotion.

"The bankers are dependable men. They stand for and insist upon reliability. This quality has given to our language one of its strongest words. When it is said of any man that you can 'bank' on him his reliability is stated in the strongest possible terms. And so, young ladies, if any young banker here should take occasion to say things to you out on the shining sands, be not afraid, but accept his words at their face value. If he is even rash enough to agree to take you to a surf party you can absolutely depend on his filling that engagement.

"But I remember that the most attractive quality of a paper to a banker is its early maturity. His pet abomination is something that runs on forever. He loves liquid assets, therefore I hasten to conclude these remarks lest the president of the Association instruct the secretary to mark my speech 'Past Due. Please notify.'"

Trip to New York.

Mr. C. J. Becker, local agent of the Clyde Line, has notified President Cooper that the Clyde steamer Comanche, which is to take the party of bankers to New York, will arrive tomorrow afternoon. Mr. Becker calls attention to the fact that owing to the vessel being so much larger than the regular steamers coming to this port, it will be necessary for her to be out of the river before dark, and it will, therefore, be necessary for the boat to sail at 4 P. M. In order to facilitate the

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WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Prof. J. B. Craven, wife and child, of Lenoir, are guests at the Oceanic.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H.Whitten, of Atlanta, are spending a month at the Oceanic hotel.

Mr. E. R. Buchan, of Sanford, is at the beach attending the Bankers' convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Payne, of Greensboro, are spending a few days at the Seashore Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hamilton, of Sanford, have moved to a cottage on the beach for the summer.

Judge George Rountree and family, have moved down to their cottage No. 405, for the summer.

Mr. J. W. Cunningham and sons, of Sanford, are at the beach attending the Bankers' convention.

Misses Faith and Edna Covington and Mary Entwistle, of Rockingham, are at the Carolina Cottage.

Mr. Thomas E. Applewhite and family are among the recent arrivals at the tent city at Lumina.

Major D. O'Connor and family have moved to their cottage at Wrightsville Beach to spend the summer.

Mrs. E. N. Page, and Mrs. T. O. Benton are chaperoning a house party at the tent colony near Lumina.

Mr. and Mrs. Max T. Payne, of Greensboro, are among the recent arrivals at the Seashore Hotel.

Mr. H. O. Brown, of Winnsboro, S. C., is spending the summer with his brother, Mr. O. R. Brown, at the beach.

Mrs. Thos. E. Cooper has as her guest at her cottage on the beach Mrs. W. H. Cooper, of Washington, D. C.

Col. W. B. Fort, of Pikeville, is at the beach atending the Bankers' convention, a guest at the Seashore Hotel.

Recent arrivals at the Temple cottage include William Taylor, James Rau and Thomas Burke, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. John B. Peshau, of Atlanta, is spending some time at the Beach, a guest at Mrs. G. P. Cotchett's cottage.

Mrs. Robert L. Steele and George P. Entwistle, of Rockingham, are at the Oceanic, to attend the North Carolina Bankers' convention.

Col. Max T. Payne, of Greensboro, and party went out yesterday morning in Launch Seashore and caught 51 mackerel and bluefish.

Mr. E. W. Burt, of Richmond, Va., district manager of the Adder Machine Company, is attending the North Carolina Bankers' convention.

Among the recent arrivals at the Hanover Inn are: Miss Ada Shenk, of Hickory; Miss Kitty Constable, Charlottie, and J. B. Rice, Jr., Wilson.

Among the guests registered at the Oceanic yesterday were: A. B. Bray, Statesville; D. A. McLaughlin, Vann; T. A. Buck and Miss Loretta Buck, Bath; P. D. Davis, Raleigh.

Mrs. Addison Hewlett, Mrs. Walter Parson and seven little girls, of Masonboro, went to the beach last night to attend the opening of the holiday house of the Girls' Friendly Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Fowler, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Mrs. Benjamin Carmichael, Mullins, S. C.; Mr. J. S. Manning and family, of Spartanburg, S. C., are guests at the Northrop cottage.

Attorney General T. W. Bickett, accompanied by Mrs. Bickett, is registered at the Seashore Hotel. Mr. Bickett responded to the address of welcome at the Bankers' convention last night.

A feature of the souvenir dance to be given at Lumina tonight in honor of the visiting bankers will be an Arabian dance by Miss Sadie Booker, of Wilmington. Attractive favors will be given to the lady guests.

An event of much interest to local anglers will be the surf casting contests at Lumina tomorrow afternoon under the auspices of the Topsail Inlet Fishing Club. Handsome prizes will be given the winners.

Attractive guests at the Seashore Hotel for the summer are Mrs. Scott and three daughters, Misses Margaret, Catherine and Mary, of St. Louis, Mo., who have spent summers here before and have many friends at Wrightsville.

Yesterday was the birthday of Capt. Edgar Hinton, the popular manager of the Seashore Hotel, and he was pleasantly remembered by Mr. J. W. Apter, the capable chef at this hostelry for several summers past, who presented him with a handsome birthday cake.

Among those at the Seashore Hotel for the bankers' convention are: Mr. M. T. Wilson and daughter, Gastonia; John D. Biggs, Williamston; W. A. Hunt, Henderson; George A. Holderness, Tarboro; O. P. Makepeace, Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Ramsey, of Rocky Mount, have arrived at the Seashore Hotel for the Bankers' convention. Mr. Ramsey, who heads one of Rocky Mount's strongest banking institutions, was formerly mayor of his town.

The picture programme for Lumina tonight has for a headline a two-reel Canadian drama by the Edison Company, entitled "Tracked by Hounds," in which Miss Gladys Hulette is featured. The other number of the programme is a Kalem comedy picture called "Cooky's Adventure."

There were more than a hundred members and visitors present at the holiday house of the Girls' Friendly Society at Wrightsville Beach last evening when dedication ceremonies were performed by Rev. Thomas P. Noe. Rev. Noe made an address to the assembly on the work of the Girls' Friendly Society, and Dr. Milton, rector of St. James Parish, made a talk. All members and guests were shown through the house and refreshments were served before they were allowed to depart.

CHALLENGE FROM J. HICKS BUNTING DRUG CO.

Offers to Refund Money if Dr. Howard's Specific Will Not Cure Any Case of Constipation or Dyspepsia.

J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. is seeking the worst case of dyspepsia or constipation in Wilmington or vicinity, to test Dr. Howard's new specific for the cure of those diseases.

So confident are they that this remarkable medicine will effect a lasting cure in a short time, that they offer to refund the money should it not be successful.

In order to secure the quickest possible introduction, J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. will sell a regular fifty cent package of this medicine at half price, 25 cents.

It will regulate the bowels, tone up the whole intestinal tract, give you an appetite, make food taste good and digest well and increase vigor. Joy and happiness will take the place of that "don't care whether I live or die" feeling.

Take advantage of J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.'s challenge and secure a bottle of Dr. Howard's specific at half price with their personal guarantee to refund your money, if it does not help you.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Capt. C. S. Ridley, of King's Bluff, is a guest at the Orton.

—Mr. James W. Allen, of Bolton, is in the city for a short while on a visit to Mr. Ralph Sholar at Winter Park and other friends in the city.

—Mr .William J. King is in the city on a visit to his brother, Mr. B. F. King. Mr. King returns to Wilmington after a few years' absence, having moved to Florida several years ago.

—Mr. Frank H. Stedman, president of the Cumberland Savings and Trust Company, Fayetteville, is among the successful North Carolina bankers attending the State convention at Wrightsville Beach. "Sheriff" Stedman, as he is more popularly known in Wilmington where he was for several terms New Hanover's chief administrative officer, is being pleasantly received by a host of friends locally.

LOCAL DOTS.

—A thirty-six pound drum was the catch made by Mr. Hugh Hines at Mason's Inlet yesterday. This is the largest to be caught by a local angler in several weeks.

—Mr. E. Stuart Fefel, of Wilmington, defeated Mr. Joseph F. Burroughs, of Chicago, Ill., last night in a pretty exhibition of pool in the Orton pool parlors, the score being 100 to 78. Both players showed up well and the game was interesting throughout.

John Cunningham will defend his title of World's Featherweight champion tonight at Woolvin's Hall.
(Advertisement.)

STABBED A ONE-ARMED MAN.

Brawl in Delgado Results Seriously. Sensational Chase by Police.

Jim Potter became enraged at J. C. Wallace at Delgado yesterday over some petty talk in which both men were guying each other, and stabbed Wallace about the breast several times and left him lying on the floor with blood spurting out in several places and nearly made his escape, according to police reports.

Physicians and police were called immediately. Wallace's wounds were temporarily bound and he was hurried to the James Walker Memorial Hospital where he was reported late last night to be resting quietly. Police headquarters sent men to patrol every gateway of escape and immediately pressed their search. Knowing that Potter's wife was ill at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, a call was put in and the man was located. After a hard race, the policemen were the winners and Potter lies in jail without bail.

Both men are about 30 years of age. Potter is a weaver in the Delgado mill and Wallace runs a pressing club on Castle street. The fracas precipitated from boisterous talk in which it is said both men became angry. Wallace is unmarried and has but one arm.

At Victoria Next Week.

The Demorest Stock Company will present three of the most popular plays with high class vaudeville between acts. The play for Monday and Tuesday will be "Just Plain Folks," a comedy drama in four acts. This company will stage each play with special scenery and effects. Ona Demorest will be seen in the leading female roles and Bob Demorest in the comedy. They have surrounded themselves with an excellent company.

Cut of Wilmington Station.

In the advertising pages of the Saturday Evening Post this week the Barrett Manufacturing Company presents a handsome cut of the Wilmington union station and general office building of the Atlantic Coast Line together with the names of the architect, chief engineer and general contractors. The cut shows the station up to splendid advantage and is incidentally a fine advertisement for Wilmington and the Atlantic Coast Line.

A HEALTH DRINK FROM THE MOUNTAINS OF VIRGINIA

Thousands go to the famous resorts in the mountains of Virginia to renew their health by drinking the waters. Was-Cott Ginger Ale and Mineral Water come from these springs—refreshing, healthy and tonic—at grocers and soda fountains.

E. L. MATHEWS CANDY CO., (Distributers.)

NEW PERFECTION OIL COOK STOVES

"Now Serving 2,000,000 Homes"

LOOK FOR THIS NEW PERFECTION GIRL

You'll see her in the windows and on the counters of hardware, furniture and department stores everywhere.

She stands for the NEW PERFECTION OIL COOK-STOVE—the simplest, most efficient Oil Cookstove made.

Already it has made cooking easier and kitchens cleaner for over 2,000,000 housewives.

Made in 1, 2, 3 and 4 burner sizes; also NEW PERFECTION stoves with fireless cooking oven attached.

Use Aladdin Security Oil or *Diamond White Oil* to obtain the best results in oil Stoves, Heaters and Lamps.

NEW PERFECTION OIL COOK STOVES

STANDARD OIL COMPANY

Washington, D. C. (New Jersey) Charlotte, N. C.
Norfolk, Va. (BALTIMORE) Charleston, W. Va.
Richmond, Va. Charleston, S. C.

$25.00

Making that weekly? You will probably make more, if you live and retain your health. But, after all, what will it be worth to you unless you keep a part of it in a Savings Account? If you live, the time will come when you can make nothing—your working day will be over. Are you providing for that time now? In your old age, will you live on your income or your friends?

"A wilful penuriousness is better than a wasteful extravagance. Simonides, being reproached with parsimony, said he would rather enrich his enemies after his death than borrow of his friends in his lifetime."

$1.00 STARTS AN ACCOUNT. WHY NOT TODAY?

HOME SAVINGS BANK

Cor. Front and Chestnut Sts. Home Bank Building.

Safety+Quickness

"*Safety First*" must ever be the watchword in firearms. But safety must not be secured at the expense of *quick action*. The Colt Automatic Pistol combines the most dependable kind of safety—*automatic safety*—with instant firing.

The Colt can't be discharged accidentally, because the trigger must be pulled and the safety in the grip must be pressed in *at the same instant* and this can't be done except it is done *purposely*. So much for safety.

As for quickness, the Colt always gets there first, for in an emergency you don't have to bother with or think about the grip safety—it takes care of itself and you.

J. W. Murchison & Co.

1915
The New Wilmington
City Directory
Has been delivered to subscribers.
No business man can do without an up-to-date CITY DIRECTORY. Call and get one.
C. W. YATES & CO.
117 Market Street

Buy at Home

Following out the "Rotary" idea, Mr. Moore and his committee insist that the money that stays in Wilmington is the only money that really helps build the city. That being the case, patronize the

CAPE FEAR OIL CO.

The Only Oil Company in the City Whose Money Remains in Wilmington.

SUMMER RESORTS.

Wrightsville Beach, N. C.
Oceanic Hotel

250 ROOMS ALL OUTSIDE.

J. E. CLAYTON, MGR. AMERICAN PLAN. SPECIAL RATES TO CONVENTIONS AND PARTIES.

Hot and Cold Running Water Throughout Hotel.

RATES FOR SEASON OF 1915:

	Day.	Week.	Lodging.	Lodging Breakfast.	Meals.
Single room with bath	$3.50	$22.50	$1.50	$2.00	.75
Two or more in room with bath (each)	3.00	18.00	1.00	1.50	.75
Single room without bath	3.00	18.00	1.00	1.50	.75
Two or more in room, without bath (each)	2.50	15.00	.75	1.50	.75
Children, 3 to 5 years of age.		5.00			
Children, 6 to 12 years of age		8.00			
Colored Nurses		8.00			

Bath Tickets, 25c Each; 6 for $1.00. Children Having Their Own Suits, 10c. Each.

Telephones and Bells in Every Room. Western Union Service in Hotel.
NEW OWNERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT.

GO TO THE FAMOUS SEASHORE HOTEL
WRIGHTSVILLE, BEACH, N. C. OPEN JUNE 1st

It is one of the most charming Summer Resorts in America. Fine beach, splendid surf bathing and good fishing. No mosquitoes or flies. New 700 ft. ocean steel pier. The new annex has 80 rooms. Total capacity of hotel is now 240 rooms; about 120 rooms have bath and toilet. Through electric trains connect with all A.C.L. and S.A.L. trains at Wilmington, N.C.

Descriptive booklet with rates, views and description of the various amusements and pleasures of this splendid Seashore Resort, sent on request.

E. L. HINTON, Manager
Wrightsville, Beach, N. C.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON TRADING NARROW

Only Feature of Market Was Transfer of Considerable Number of Hedges in July Against Local Stock.

New York, June 17.—If there was any feature to the local cotton market today it consisted of the transfer of a considerable number of hedges in July against the local stock, over into October, the carrying charge favoring such operation. Trade otherwise was of a professional character and very narrow with fluctuation limited to a few points and the close steady at 2 to 4 points net decline.

Disappointing Liverpool cables caused the market to open three points lower to one point net higher, but subsequent scattered buying carried the list back to last night's prices again. The exports were exceedingly light and with an easier feeling in some of the Southern spot markets occasioned a little realizing in the last hour and a moderate setback from best points of the day. Considerable interest was taken in the announcement that the government acreage estimate this year will be based on revised estimates of the area planted to cotton last year, which has been made 37,406,000 acres instead of 35,960,000 as reported last July.

Cotton futures closed steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	9.54	9.55	9.53	9.53
October	9.93	9.94	9.90	9.91
December	10.20	10.21	10.17	10.18
January	10.26	10.28	10.24	10.48
March	10.50	10.48	10.48	

Spot cotton quiet; middling uplands 9.80, no sales.

PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans — Middling, 9.35; receipts, 1,162; exports, 70; sales, 80; stock, 184,909.

Galveston—Middling, 9.30; receipts, 978; sales, 219; stock, 201,872.

Mobile — Middling, 8.75; receipts, 5; stock, 16,597.

Savannah—Middling, 9.00; receipts, 595; sales, 74; stock, 69,232.

Charleston—Middling, 9.00; receipts, 281; sales, 752; stock, 56,321.

Wilmington—Receipts, 179; sales, 214; stock, 44,087.

Texas City—Sales, 400.

Norfolk—Middling, 9.00; receipts, 579; sales, 491; stock, 54,478.

Baltimore—Middling, 9¾; sales, 350; stock, 2,132.

Boston—Middling, 9.85; receipts, 148; stock, 14,000.

Philadelphia—Middling, 10.05; sales, 587; stock, 4,363.

New York — Middling, 9.80; stock, 248,755.

Minor ports—Stock, 27,603.

Total today—Receipts, 3,927; exports, 70; stock, 924,349.

Total for week—Receipts, 43,127; exports, 57,684.

Total for season—Receipts, 10,512,151; exports, 8,007,161.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 9.20; receipts, 1,140; shipments, 2,220; stock, 71,328.

Memphis—Middling, 9.12; receipts, 253; shipments, 124; stock, 104,162.

Augusta—Middling, 9.00; receipts, 219; shipments, 395; stock, 92,632.

St. Louis—Middling, 9¼; receipts, 294; shipments, 296; stock, 25,661.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 409; shipments, 497; stock, 22,253.

Little Rock—Middling, 9.00; receipts, 7; shipments, 587; stock, 13,782.

Dallas—Middling, 8.70; sales, 24.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, June 17. — Spot cotton, barely steady; good middling, 5.70; middling, 5.38; low middling, 4.90; sales, 7,000. For speculation and export, 500. Receipts, 29,400.

Futures, quiet and steady. June, 5.23; June-July, 5.23; July-August, 5.26½; September, 5.35; September-October, 5.43; October-November, 5.49½; January-February, 5.64½; March-April, 5.72½; May-June, 5.79.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, June 17. — Cotton seed oil was lower today, under scattered liquidation and continued dullness in the consuming trade. Final prices were 3 to 4 points net lower. Sales, 1,190 barrels.

The market closed steady. Spot, 6.05@6.21; June, 6.05@6.20; July, 6.20@6.21; August, 6.37@6.39; September, 6.52@6.53; October, 6.54@6.56; November, 6.51@6.53; December, 6.52@6.54; January, 6.54@6.57.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, June 17. — Cotton goods were quiet today. Yarns, dull. Men's wear from stock was sold more freely. Raw silk, easier. Jobbers reported a moderate filling in business from the retail trade.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, June 17. — Hogs—Strong. Bulk, 7.30@7.60; light, 7.40@7.75; mixed, 7.15@7.70; heavy, 6.90@7.60; rough, 6.90@7.05; pigs, 6.00@7.35.

Cattle—Strong. Native beef steers, 6.30@9.50; western steers, 7.00@8.25; cows and heifers, 3.25@9.00; calves, 7.25@10.25.

Sheep — Weak. Sheep, 5.50@6.40; lambs, 6.75@9.25; spring, 6.25@9.75.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

Narrow Range in Trading, Covering Only From 2 to 4 Points.

New Orleans, June 17.—Cotton moved over a range of only 2 to 4 points today, closing at a net loss of 2 to 3 points.

Sentiment was inclined to be bullish, but that tendency was offset by claims of crop progress in the Eastern belt and poor cables. Accounts of boll weevil damage and official reports of heavy rains in Oklahoma, where they are detriment caused only a little buying. Bullish claims were made concerning the Texas acreage, reports from spot houses in that state contending that more grain was planted, replacing cotton, than at first thought. Against bullish influence in the afternoon was the drop in spot prices local quotations losing 13 points.

Cotton futures closing: July 9.28; October 9.47; December 9.89; January 10.02; March 10.21.

Spot cotton quiet, 13 points down; middling 9.25; sales on the spot 80 bales; to arrive none.

Auction Sale—Bankrupt stock of furniture Saturday at 3 and 7 p. m. 106 Dock street. je17-3t

WHEAT AVERAGES LOWER

Rumors of Important Successes for British in the Dardanelles Partly the Cause.

Chicago, June 17. — Rumors of important success for the British and French in their effort to reopen the Dardannelles did a good deal today to make wheat average lower in price. The market closed unsettled at ⅛@1c. off to ⅛ advance.

Corn finished unchanged to ⅞ higher, oats ⅜ down to 1-16 up, and provisions the same as last night to 15 cents decline.

Grain and provilons closing:

Wheat — July, 1.03⅝; September, 1.02⅝.

Corn—July, 75⅛; September, 75.

Oats—July, 45⅛; September, 39⅜.

Pork—July, 16.85; September, 17.30.

Lard—July, 9.45; September, 9.72.

Ribs—July, 10.30; September, 10.62.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.11⅛; No. 2, hard, 1.16@1.16⅛.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 73 @76¼.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Navahoe, Packer, Georgetown, C. J. Becker, agent.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Citta di Messina (Ita.), 1,557 tons, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,289 tons, Holtasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co

Barges.

Barge Ruhamashaw, 749 tons, Seymore, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, June 17.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Quiet, 40c.

ROSIN—Quiet, $2.60@$2.75 per barrel.

TAR—Quiet, $1.60 per barrel; 7½c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Quiet. $2.50 per barrel for soft; $2.50 per barrel for virgin; $1.50 per barrel for hard.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady, 45½. Rosin, firm, $3.70. Tar, firm, $2.25-10c. Crude turpentine, firm, $3.50, $3.50, $2.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	29
Rosin	14
Tar	38
Crude Turpentine	12

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 19 casks; rosin, 65 barrels; tar, (—) barrels; crude turpentine, 28 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal; exporters offering 8⅝c.; quotations same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—179 bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, to date, 272,947 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 377,238 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, June 15.

Atlantic Coast Line—Cotton, 73 bales; spirits turpentine, 1 cask; rosin, 4 barrels; tar, 2 barrels; crude turpentine, 6 barrels.

Thelma—106 bales cotton.

Geo. Slover—Spirits turpentine, 23 casks; rosin, 10 barrels.

Str. Oast—Tar, 36 barrels.

Str. Worth J.—Spirits turpentine, 5 casks.

Schr. Josie D.—Crude turpentine, 2 barrels.

River—Crude turpentine, 4 barrels.

Total—Cotton, 179 bales; spirits turpentine, 29 casks; rosin, 14 barrels; tar, 38 barrels; crude turpentine, 12 barrels.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, June 14.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, weaker. Fancy hand picked, 80c.; No. 1, machine picked, 75c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Weaker. Jumbos, 75c.; fancy hand-picked, 60c.; No. 1, machine picked, 55c. per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts—Steady. No. 1, small, machine picked, 85c.; Jumbos, 75c per bushel.

All receipts, light.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, June 12.)

CORN—$2.10 per sack.

PEAS—Black-eyed peas, $2.75 per bu. Cow peas, $2.25 per bu.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 80@85c.; new crop, $1.00@$1.25 per bu. Sweet potatoes: Yams, $1.00@$1.10 per bushel. Good demand.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c.; g od sales.

PORK—Small, 10@11c. per pound.

SHEEP—$1.00@$2.50 per head.

WOOL—Burry, 14@15c.; black wool, 16@17c.; first-class white wool, 20@21c., free, 20@21c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12@13c.; dry flint, 17c. per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 17@18c.; sides and shoulders, 14@15c. per lb. Good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 25c. per lb.; dull.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 45@50c.; spring, 18@30c. per head; good demand. Turkeys, out of season.

EGGS—18@19c. per dozen.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co. Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., June 12. — Spanish, Farmers' Stock—Market steady. First quality, 85c. per bu.; Off grade, 30@50c. per bu.

Virginias, Farmers' Stock—Market steady. Fancy Jumbo, 3¼c per lb.; Fancy handpicked, 3¼c per lb.; Extra Prime, 3c per lb.; Shelling stock, 2@2½c per lb.

New York, June 17. — Mercantile paper, 3½@3¾. Sterling, sixty-days, 4.74; demand, 4.7660; cables, 4.7710; bar silver, 49¼. Mexican dollars, 38. Government bonds, heavy; railroad bonds, steady. Time loans, easy; sixty days, 2½; ninety days, 2½@2¾; six months, 3. Call money, steady; ruling rate, 1¾.

ANIMATION IS SUSPENDED

That State of Affairs Suggested by Yesterday's Dull Session of Stock Market.

New York, June 17.—Dealings in stocks today suggested a state of suspended animation, the total output falling far below the average of the early days of the month. This condition may be ascribed largely to the absence of public interest together with the increasing disinclination of professional traders to renew operations on a large scale pending the settlement, or at least a more definite outcome of the international situation.

Bethlehem Steel common and preferred receding materially, likewise Westinghouse and a few others of the same group. Coppers and other metals were mildly reactionary. United States Steel was in steady demand, the common and preferred gaining a point each. Passing of the Chesapeake and Ohio annual dividend helped to weaken the list.

Although French and Italian exchanges continued to move further in favor of this country the foreign exchange market as a whole was not an element of importance in the day's developments.

Bonds steady. Total sales, par value, being $3,060,000.

United States coupon 4s declined 3-8 per cent. on call.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

American Beet Sugar	50¾
Amalgamated Copper	75½
American Can	45⅝
American Cities, pfd	46
American Cotton Oil	47
American Smelting	81
American Sugar	109½
American Tel. and Tel	123⅛
American Tobacco	226
Atchison	101
Atlantic Coast Line	106
Baltimore and Ohio	75
Bethlehem Steel	163
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	89
Canadian Pacific	153
Central Leather	40
Chesapeake and Ohio	38½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	91½
Chicago, R. I. and Pac	18⅝
Consolidated Gas	127¼
Corn Products	15
Erie	26½
General Motors	151½
Great Northern, pfd	118½
Illinois Central	106
Interborough-Met., pfd	74½
Kansas City Southern	25½
Louisville and Nashville	116½
Liggett and Myers	222
Lorillard Co	165½
Maxwell Motor Co	44½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	11
Missouri Pacific	11¼
Mexican Petroleum	75¼
National Lead	66⅛
New York Central	88¼
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	64
Norfolk and Western	103
Northern Pacific	106⅞
Pennsylvania	106¾
Reading	144½
Rep. Iron and Steel	30
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	87⅛
Seaboard Air Line	13½
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	35⅝
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	37
Studebaker Corporation	77
Southern Pacific	87⅞
Southern Railway	16¼
Southern Railway, pfd	50
Tennessee Copper	38
Texas Co	125
Texas and Pacific	14
Union Pacific	128⅛
United States Rubber	64¾
United States Steel	60
United States Steel, pfd	109¾
Utah Copper	67⅞
Virginia-Caro. Chem	33¾
Western Union	68⅝
Westinghouse Electric	98⅛

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

June 18, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 76 degrees; at 8 P. M., 76 degrees; maximum 82 degrees; mimimum 68 degrees; mean 76 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .01; rainfall for the month to date, 1.68 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. yesterday, 7.3 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Unsettled Friday and Saturday; probably showers.

The Port Calendar, June 18, 1915.

Sun rises	5:00 A. M.
Sun sets	7:26 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 26 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water.		Low water.	
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	1:33	2:06	9:16	9:01
Southport	11:34	11:50	5:50	5:57
Masonboro Inl	11:33	11:39	5:30	5:37

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

June 17, 1915.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Highest today.	Temperature: Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	100	76	.01
Asheville	clear	78	58	.0
Atlanta	clear	84	64	.01
Augusta	cldy	86	64	.20
Birmingh'm	pt cldy	88	68	.0
Boston	cldy	68	60	.68
Charleston	rain	84	74	.06
Charlotte	cldy	84	64	.06
Chicago	cldy	62	56	.0
Galveston	clear	86	80	.0
Jacksonv'e	pt cldy	84	74	.0
Memphis	pt cldy	88	70	.0
Mobile	clear	90	74	.0
Montgom'y	pt cldy	90	68	.0
New Orl'ns	pt cldy	92	76	.0
New York	rain	78	62	.02
Oklahoma	clear	84	68	.01
Palestine	clear	90	72	.0
Pittsburg	pt cldy	82	60	.0
Raleigh	pt cldy	84	66	.04
Savannah	rain	86	70	1.36
Shreveport	clear	92	72	.0
St. Louis	cldy	82	60	.08
Washing'n	pt cldy	88	68	.0

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, June 17. — Raw sugar, steady; centrifugal, 4.89; molasses, 4.12; refined, steady.

Butter—Easier.

Cheese—Steadier.

Coffee—Spot, firm; Rio, No. 7, 7½; Santos, No. 4, 9⅝.

NAVAL STORES MARKET.

Savannah, June 17. — Turpentine, firm; 41 to 41⅞; sales, 442; receipts, 1,229. Shipments, none; stocks, 25,138.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,484; receipts, 3,278; shipments, none; stocks, 56,222. Quote: A, B, 3.00@3.10; C, D, 3.10@3.15; E, 3.25@3.35; F, 3.25@3.40; G, H, 3.35@3.40; I, 3.40@3.50; K, 3.75@3.80; M, 4.25; N, 5.35; W G, 6.00; W W, 6.10.

Auction Sale—Furniture, Carpets, mattings, etc., every Saturday at 3 and 7 p. m. Rex Furniture Company, 106 Dock street. je17-3t

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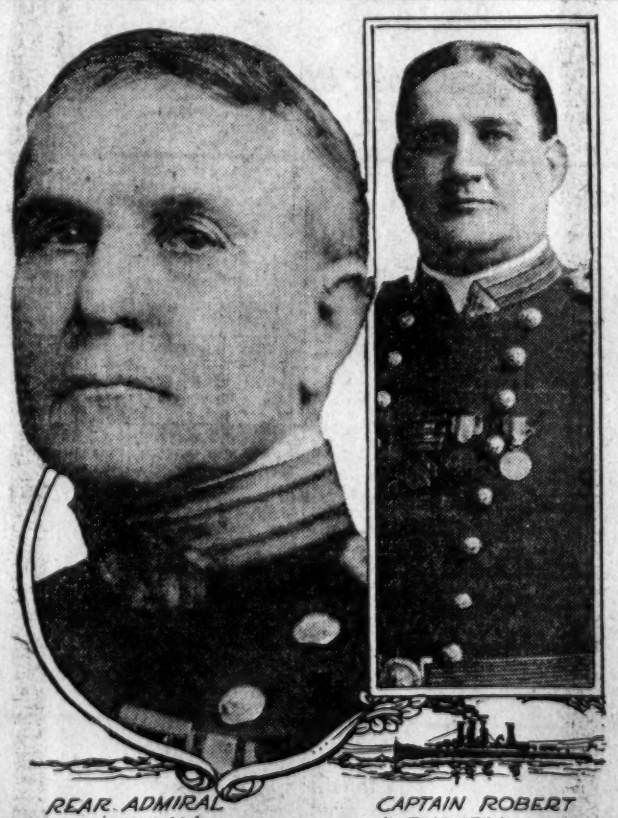
Did Annapolis Middies Commit Burglary?



REAR ADMIRAL W. F. FULLAM ©HARRIS-EWING. CAPTAIN ROBERT L. RUSSELL.

Rear Admiral William F. Fullam, superintendent of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, has brought serious charges against cadets of the academy in connection with the "cribbing" of examination papers there recently. The scandal has grown to such proportions that a military court, of which Captain Robert L. Russell is president, is making an investigation.

Among the charges of the superintendent was one that an attempt to break into desks of professors had been made. Some one got copies of examination papers for all four classes which have just taken their examinations, and passed them around. At this time members of the graduating class who passed are already in the American navy as ensigns. Three students have been dismissed in connection with the charges, and seven more were placed under arrest.

Rear Admiral Fullam was graduated from the Academy in 1877 at the head of his class and has had 20 years of sea duty, besides serving for some time as an instructor at Annapolis. During the Spanish-American war he was watch officer on board the U. S. S. New Orleans on the occasion of the blockade and bombardment of Santiago.

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NOTICE

The next regular meeting of the North Carolina State Board of Dental Examiners will be held at Wrightsville Beach beginning promptly at 9:00 o'clock on Monday morning, June the 21st.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

State of North Carolina.

New Hanover County.

In pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of North Carolina, made and entered at the March term, A. D. 1915, in a case therein pending wherein D. O'Connor was plaintiff and Margaret Cox and William Blount are defendants, the undersigned Commissioner duly appointed by said decree will expost for sale at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, at the Court House door of New Hanover County, in the City of Wilmington, on Monday, the 5th day of July, A. D., 1915, at 12 o'clock, M., the following described tract, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Wilmington, N. C., bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a point in the southern line of Rankin Street thirty-three feet westwardly from the southwestern intersection of Rankin and Thirteenth Streets, and runs thence westwardly along the line of Rankin Street thirty-three feet; thence southwardly and parallel with Thirteenth Street one hundred and forty-five feet to Charlotte Street; thence eastwardly along Charlotte Street thirty-three feet; thence northwardly one hundred and forty-five feet to the beginning on Rankin Street, the same being parts of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 229, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

Terms of sale cash.

E. K. BRYAN, Commissioner.

je 5-30t.

United States District Court, Eastern district of North Carolina.

United States of America against

200 bags of oats, which said bags are supposed to contain 150 pounds each of oats and which said bags are each labeled "McDonald Magic Purified Oats 159 1-4 Pounds When Packed."

In obedience to warrant of seizure to me directed in the above entitled cause I have seized and taken into my possession, the following described property, to wit.: 200 bags of oats, which said bags are each labeled "McDonald Magic Purified Oats, 159 1-4 pounds when packed" and in Car A. T. & S. F. 34389, for the causes set forth in the libel now pending in the district court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilmington.

I hereby give notice to all persons claiming the said described property, or knowing or having anything to say why the same should not be condemned and forfeited and sold, and the proceeds thereof distributed according to the prayer of the said libel, that they be and appear before the said court to be held in and for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at the City of Wilmington, on the 23rd day of June, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, if the same shall be a day of jurisdiction, wherein on the next day of jurisdiction thereafter, then and there interpose a claim on the same, and to make their allegations in their behalf.

W. T. DORTCH, U. S. Marshal.

By James N. Fennell, Deputy Marshal.

Je 15-4t.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Northwest township, Brunswick County, road commissioners will receive sealed bids for construction of approximately fifteen miles of sand clay road, until noon, June 18th. Road commissioners will meet June 10th, to go over this work with contractors who may be interested in bidding. Plans, profiles and specifications may be secured from road commissioners at Phoenix, N. C., or W. H. Banck, engineer, Wilmington, N. C. Road commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

A. S. KIRBY, Chairman, Phoenix, N. C.

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New All-Steel Sleeper in operation daily between Wilmington and Atlanta, via Seaboard Air Line Railway, leaves Wilmington 4:05 P. M.; arrives Atlanta 7:00 A. M. the next morning, connecting with through All-Steel Sleepers for Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City and Memphis.

For information or reservations, call 'Phone 178.

H. E. Pleasants, T. P. A., Wilmington, N. C.

JOHN T. WEST, D. P. A., Raleigh, N. C.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective June 7, 1915.

Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	No. 91. 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 51. 5:25 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 52. 12:45 A.M. Daily.
No. 64. 5:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. 6:15 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.	No. 49. 6:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 53. 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Salisbury.	No. 52. 8:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 62. 3:25 P.M. Daily ex. Sun.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate stations.	No. 63. 12:50 P.M. Daily ex. Sun.
No. 55. 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida Points. Columbia, Asheville and the West. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta, and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 57 6:20 P.M. Sun.only.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate points.	No. 58 9:15 A.M. Sun. only.
No. 60. 6:30 P.M. Sun., Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and intermediate stations.	No. 61. 10:15 A.M. Sun., Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
No. 42. 8:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. 9:50 A.M. Daily.
No. 68 7:30 P.M. Sun.only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate points.	No. 69 10:15 A.M. Sun. only.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160-J.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. Z. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent. WILMINGTON, N. C.

HARPER LINE STEAMERS

SUMMER SCHEDULE, EFFECTIVE JUNE 18T, 1915.

Leave Wilmington daily for Carolina Beach and Southport, 9:00 A. M. and 2:30 P. M.

Leave Southport 11:45 A. M. and 4:45 P. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Leave Southport 11:30 A. M. and 4:45 P. M.

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Effective June 9th, 1915.

No. 13.—4:05 P. M.—THROUGH STEEL SLEEPER BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND ATLANTA. Through Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Charlotte. Train for Lumberton, Maxton, Laurinburg, Charlotte and intermediate points, connecting at Hamlet for all points North, South and West.

No. 19—5:00 A. M.—THROUGH SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE—Open at 10:00 P. M. for Passengers. Train for Charlotte and intermediate points, connecting at Hamlet for all points North and West.

For detailed information and reservations, call on City Ticket Agent, Orton Bldg, Wilmington; 'Phone 178.

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Wilmington, N. C., June 4, 1915.

Sealed bids will be received for the sale of Two School Houses and Lots in Districts No. 3, and No. 4, Carver's Creek Township until July 1st, and then publicly opened. Both buildings are new and each lot contains two acres.

Rights are reserved to reject any and all bids. DR. J. D. DeVANE, Chairman Committee. East Arcadia.

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J. B. McCABE

Certified Public Accountant

Room 815 Murch. Nat. Bank Bldg.

Phone 906 WILMINGTON, N. C.

Suburban Schedule

In Effect Saturday, June 5, 1915.

WEEK-DAYS

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
6:25 A. M.	6:06 A.M.
6:55 A. M.	7:10 A.M.
7:25 A. M.	7:40 A.M.
8:00 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
5:30 P. M.	5:45 P.M.
6:10 P. M.	6:25 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	6:50 P. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 P.M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Express trains stop at Winter Park Gardens, Sea Gate, Wrightsville, and all stations on the Beach.

Lumina Specials stop only at 5th, 7th and 9th streets in Wilmington, and at Lumina.

FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
6:00 A. M.	7:05 A.M.
9:30 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily, except Sunday, from 8:00 A. M. until 1:00 P. M., and from 2:00 P. M. until 7:00 P. M.

Freight Depot Telephone, No. 96.

SUNDAYS

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
7:00 A.M.	6:40 A.M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

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FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington.	Lv. Beach.
11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

Freight Depot Open: 10 to 11 A. M.

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Telephone 667 for information about train movements and matters connected with Railway department.

THROUGH SLEEPING CARS TO ATLANTA.

The Atlantic Coast Line operate the through sleeping cars between Wilmington and Atlanta. These cars are of all-steel construction and leave Wilmington daily at 3:45 P. M., arriving Atlanta at 6:10 the next morning, connection with through sleeping, observation and dining car trains for Chicago, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Kansas City and New Orleans. Passengers desiring to do so may remain in the sleepers, in the Union Depot, at Atlanta, until 7:00 A. M.

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S. S. Cherokee .....Friday, June 18th

Wilmington to Georgetown.

S. S. Navahoe .....Monday, June 14th
S. S. Cherokee .....Monday, June 21st

Wilmington to New York

S. S. Cherokee .....Saturday, June 19th
S. S. Navahoe .....Saturday, June 19th

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NEW ACTION ALONG THE BRITISH FRONT

Frederick Palmer Describes Wednesday's Bombardment

ALLIES GAIN GROUND

Allies Are About to Begin Great Offensive Against the Germans on Western Battle Front, from Reports.

(By Frederick Palmer, for the Associated Press.)

General Headquarters of the British Army in France, June 16, via London, June 17.—The heavy distant bombardment by the French in the region of the "Labyrinth" which has continued like the ceaseless roll of thunder for several days, was drowned to the ear early this morning by the nearer roll of heavy artillery—preparations for an attack accompanying the offensive of the Allies at two points on the British front, where for several days we had had only a sniping exchange of rifle and machine gun shots between trenches and of shells between batteries, and a lull in the siege warfare.

At the transfer station of ammunition, the most significant point in the rear when action is under way, all hands were busy through the night. Motor trucks were feeding the guns as they concentrated on the German trenches, tearing them apart with high explosive shells and bathing them with shrapnel before the infantry charged.

An attack in the sector of Hooge was made along a front of three-quarters of a mile. The front line trenches and a German salient were carried, and also a length of the second line. The number of prisoners taken has not yet been stated.

In the Festubert region also, the first line trenches were taken and the second penetrated in parts, but the ground gained had to be yielded.

Through the day there was only desultory firing until mid-afternoon. In the warm, hazy June day only the brownish auricles from the bursting lyddite shells, as they raised the dust of the trenches heavenward, were visible, while even the flashes of the hidden guns were invisible and the foliage hid the infantry.

U. S. MAIL BROKEN OPEN IN ENGLAND IS CHARGE

Formal Notice Served by the Swedish Government

Pouches Bound for Sweden Opened and Contents Tampered With is Allegation Made to the State Department.

Washington, June 17.—Formal notice that United States mail pouches destined for Sweden had been broken upon in England and their contents tampered with was submitted to the State Department today by W. A. F. Ekengren, the Swedish minister, with a request for appropriate action.

The minister called at the department and delivered to Secretary Lansing a letter, written on instructions from his government, reciting instances of interference with mail for Sweden and pointing out that such acts were in violation of the provisions of the world postal convention and of other treaty stipulations. The letter stated that the seals of mail bags were broken, that letters were opened and censored, and that one registered unit was retained.

Two specific cases were mentioned, one involving mail sent on the American steamer New York, when she left on May 29, and the other pouches carried by the British steamer Adriatic, which sailed May 27. In the former case it was asserted that out of 29 registered letters and packages, seven arrived in Sweden opened, while the greater part of the other mail had been censored. Of the Adriatic's mail, which arrived in Gothenburg on June 9th, several letters were said to have been opened.

MERCHANTS MEET NEXT IN WIMSTON-SALEM

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dorsing the rural credit scheme; recommending that legislation be enacted making it binding upon tax assessors to assess all property at its cash market value, and opposing the Stevens-Price maintenance bill, which will be introduced at the next session of Congress.

Speaking to the merchants of the State, W. A. Clarke, secretary of the Virginia Merchants' Association, told of the work of that organization, and called attention to the stringent laws against the maintenance of black lists made up of debtors who do not pay their accounts. It developed that the North Carolina associations are not maintaining black lists.

The association went on record as extending an invitation to the associations composed of dealers in particular lines of merchandise to affiliate with the Merchants' Association with the programmes so arranged that time can be given at each convention to the consideration of problems of peculiar interest to the merchants of the various lines.

COMING TO ASHEVILLE

Chosen as Meeting Place by National Jr. O. U. A. M.

Sanduskyfi Ohio, June 17.—The national convention of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics closed at Cedar Point today with the selection of Asheville, N. C., as the 1917 meeting place.

Tonight! Tonight!

Bankers' dance at Lumina. Exhibition dancing. (advertisement.)

Mat fans will all be on hand tonight to see the German and the Russian grapple to a finish. (advertisement.)

MEDICAL SOCIETY TO MEET IN DURHAM NEXT

Dr. H. M. Fletcher, of Asheville, Elected President.

Third Week in April Date of Next Annual Meeting—Dr. Rankin Re-Elected for Term of Six Years.

Greensboro, N. C., June 17.—The North Carolina Medical Society adjourned this afternoon to meet the third week in April of next year at Durham. The crew officers are: M. H. Fletcher, Asheville, president; B. K. Hays, Oxford, secretary; W. M. Jones, Greensboro, treasurer; Dr. W. S. Rankin, was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the State Board of Health for a term of six years.

GERMAN DRIVE IN EAST CONTINUES; FIGHTING IN WEST

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morale of our troops is perfect. The number of prisoners taken by us exceeds 600 including more than 20 officers.

"Our air squadrons have effectively bombarded the enemy's reserves at Givonchy and in the forest of LaFolie and dispersed contingents in the act of taking up their formations.

"The grave check suffered by the enemy in his counter attacks at Quennevieres is confirmed by the great number of German dead found in front of our trenches.

"A long range piece has twice bombarded Villers Cotterets. One person was wounded.

"At Rheims an examination of the points where German projectiles fell establish the fact that more than 80 shells, several of which were of incendiary type have fallen on the town, and more particularly on the cathedral.

"In Alsace our success continues. We have taken Altenhof (Alhof) a suburb of Metzeral; then Steinbruck and we are continuing our progress on both banks of the Fecht river. The Germans are setting fire to Metzeral.

"The number of prisoners who have fallen into our hands has reached 500, of whom ten are officers and 28 non-commissioned officers. To the war material already reported may be added three bomb throwers, three machine guns, some field telephones and apparatus for the emission of asphyxiating gases.

"An enemy aeroplane has been brought down by one of our machines in Alsace. The two German aviators were killed."

FORMER GOVERNOR T. J. JARVIS DEAD

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was for many years a prominent figure in the North Carolina Conference, which loved him and which he loved, and which delighted to honor him.

The first news of the death of ex-Governor T. J. Jarvis, at his home at Greenville, N. C., last night at 9 o'clock, was received here in a private telegram to J. O. Carr, Esq., of the Wilmington bar. While it was known that North Carolina's "Grand Old Man" had been in feeble health for some time, the announcement of his death was in the nature of a shock to his many admirers and acquaintances hereabouts.

Ex-Governor Jarvis was the father of the East Carolina Teachers' Training School at Greenville, and the telegram to Mr. Carr last night was to him as a member of the board of trustees, which board is called to assemble in Greenville both today and tomorrow for the purpose of paying deserved tribute to this champion and supporter of the school. Mr. Carr will leave tonight for the purpose of attending the obsequies.

ORGANIZE LEAGUE TO ENFORCE PEACE

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mankind in comfort, enlightenment and happiness may continue.

Foundation of League.

"We, therefore, believe it to be desirable for the United States to join a league of nations binding the signatories to the following:

"1. Justiciable questions arising between the signatory powers, not settled by negotiation, shall, subject to the limitations of treaties, be submitted to a judicial tribunal for hearing and judgment, both upon merits and upon any issue as to its jurisdiction of the question.

"2. All other questions arising between the signatories and not settled by negotiations, shall be submitted to a council of conciliation for hearing, consideration and recommendation.

"3. The signatory powers shall jointly use forthwith both their economic and military forces against any one of their number that goes to war or commits acts of hostility against another of the signatories before any question arising shall be submitted as provided in the foregoing.

"Conferences between the signatory powers shall be held from time to time to formulate and codify rules of international law, which, unless some signatory shall signify its dissent within a stated period, shall thereafter govern in the decisions of the judicial tribunal mentioned in article 1."

As Mr. Taft had to leave the city early, he called Prof. John Bassett Moore, of Columbia University, to the chair and before leaving gave hearty endorsement to the resolution. "We are in favor of doing something as well as thinking something," Mr. Taft said.

WALKER NOT AT LARGE

Reports as to Brunswick Man Apparently Without Foundation.

Reports were persistently circulated both here and in Brunswick county yesterday that Jesse Walker, known as the "Brunswick desperado," had escaped from the State penitentiary to which institution he was sentenced a week or two ago in Pender Superior Court for the killing of Sheriff Jackson Stanland about seven years ago.

The Star at once communicated with its Raleigh correspondent relative to the report and received last night the following: "Prison authorities said tonight there was nothing in the report that the Brunswick murderer Walker has escaped."

Bankers' Ball

Lumina tonight. Exhibition dancing. Pictures. (advertisement.)

BERNSTORFF WILL EXPLAIN MATTERS

Says Dr. Alfred Myer and Meyer-Gerhard Not the Same.

WILL CALL ON LANSING

Ambassador Makes Engagement to Call at State Department to Deny Published Charges Concerning Use of Safe Conduct.

Washington, June 17.—Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador who was in New York today, made an engagement to call at the State Department tomorrow personally to inform Secretary Lansing that there is no foundation for published reports that a safe conduct to Europe obtained for Dr. Anton Meyer-Gerhard had been used by Dr. Alfred Meyer, a German purchasing agent of war munitions.

Mr. Lansing announced today the receipt of a message from Haniel von Haimhausen, counsellor of the German embassy and its charge d'affaires at Cedarhurst, L. I., making a general denial of the published charges of deception and pointing out that such articles constituted "a personal attack on the ambassador and his delegate, Dr. Anton Meyer-Gerhard, likely at the same time to nullify the sincere and earnest efforts of the ambassador to bring about an understanding between the United States and Germany in the Lusitania question.

Later came the telegram from the ambassador himself.

Secretary Lansing made public the telegram from Counsellor von Haimhausen. The Secretary also said he had received word from an American in good standing in New York whose word he would not question and who knew both Dr. Anton Meyer-Gerhard and Dr. Alfred Meyer very well, stating that he went to the pier to say goodbye to the former and did not see the latter. Mr. Lansing said the man had declined to have his name used. He is known to be the proprietor of a New York afternoon newspaper.

CAROLINA BANKERS IN ANNUAL SESSION

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handling of passengers, a representative of the local office will be at the Seashore Hotel today to sell tickets.

The convention will meet this morning at 10 o'clock. The first thing after the roll call and reading of minutes will be the annual address of President Cooper. Then will follow the report of Mr. W. A. Hunt, secretary and treasurer, for the past year. Mr. J. C. Braswell, of Rocky Mount, will make report as the delegate to the American Bankers' Association. Report of standing committees will then be received.

Then will follow an address by Hon. W. P. G. Harding, of the Federal Reserve Board, Washington, D. C., who comes from Charleston, S. C., Wednesday he addressed the South Carolina Bankers' Association, in session there.

At the conclusion of the address committees will be appointed as follows: Resolutions, nominations and auditing.

There will be no afternoon session. Tonight the visitors will be entertained at a souvenir dance at Lumina.

A feature of the session Saturday will be an address by Hon. William Ingle, Reserve Agent of the Federal Reserve Bank, Richmond, Va., who will arrive in the city tomorrow morning from Old Point Comfort, Va., where today he addresses the Virginia Bankers' Association.

Following the address there will be a general discussion of the Federal Reserve Act. Then business will be taken up in the following order: New business, report of committees, motions and resolutions, election of officers, installation of officers.

Mr. Leake S. Covington, vice-president of the American Bankers' Association for North Carolina, has called a meeting to be held today at the Seashore Hotel for the purpose of electing the following: A vice-president for the State; a member to serve on the general nominating committee; an alternate member of the general nominating committee.

Mr. Chas. E. Taylor, Jr., president of the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company, is a member of the executive committee, the other members being E. C. Rea, Edenton; J. B. Ramsey, Rocky Mount; T. A. Uzzell, Newbern; F. N. Egerton, Louisburg; A. L. Davis, Burlington; I. F. Craven, Ramseur; W. H. Worth, Jefferson; E. O. Anderson, Charlotte; J. Robert Long, Bryson City; Geo. A. Holderness, Tarboro.

Mr. W. C. Wilkinson, of Charlotte, is a member of the executive council of the American Bankers' Association.

Mr. J. F. Armfield, of Thomasville, is first vice-president of the association; Mr. W. S. Blakeney, of Monroe, second vice-president, and Mr. W. B. Drake, Jr., of Raleigh, third vice-president. The legal department is in charge of Hon. S. F. Mordecai, dean of the law school of Trinity College, Durham.

Local Committees.

Following are the Wilmington committees:

Reception Committee—J. W. Yates, W. C. Denny, C. E. Bethea, Warren S. Johnson, Milton Calder.

Entertainment Committee — J. F. Roache, W. A. Dick, J. Holmes Davis.

Refreshment Committee—J. L. Williams, R. L. Henley.

Finance Committee—C. S. Grainger, C. E. Taylor, Jr., Thomas E. Cooper.

There were more than 200 visitors attending the convention registered yesterday evening and more still registering. A partial list includes Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Gott, Baltimore; Col. W. B. Fort, Pikeville; Mr. W. T. Ohl, Norfolk, Va.; Messrs. A. E. Waters and F. H. Barcley, Baltimore; W. F. Augustine and H. I. Rassell, Richmond; C. M. Falconer and G. H. Bowes, Baltimore; L. A. Keidel, New York City; O. J. Deming, Philadelphia; J. W. Cunningham and E. R. Buchan, Sanford; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fenner, Rockingham; W. P. Shelton, Richmond; Hayne McFadden, New York City; J. B. Blades, Newbern; W. S. Blakeney, Marion; F. N. Egerton, Louisburg; R. B. Crowder, Henderson; A. M. Dumay, Washington, N. C.; D. E. MacCarthy, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Sluder, Asheville; Joseph E. Thorpe, Greensboro; Frank Steadman, Fayetteville; James A. Gray and M. H. Willis, Winston-Salem; L. B. Aycock and F. P. Spruill and Mrs. Spruill, Rocky Mount; J. E. Bridges, Raleigh; B. A. Morrow, Monroe; J. D. Duncan, Charlotte.

ENGLAND PROMISES AN ANSWER TO NOTE

Concerning Neutral Commerce Sent Her Last March.

EXPECT A REPLY SOON

Stated Officially at Washington That Great Britain Has Several Times Intimated That She Would Soon Make Reply.

Washington, June 17.—It was stated officially today that there had been intimations from Great Britain recently that a reply might be forthcoming soon to the American note of March 30 protesting against the illegality of the order in council in its restrictions on non-contraband commerce with Germany through neutral countries.

Officials have been preparing an answer to the British notes which preceded the issuance of the order in council and covering the academic principles as they were affected by the law of contraband and continuous voyage. The United States has never admitted the right of the Allies to detain cargoes of contraband consigned to neutral ports when enemy destination is not proved and several cases still are pending in which that principle is involved.

The close relations of the order in council prohibiting non-contraband commerce with Germany, to the traffic in contraband articles with neutral countries has caused officials to combine all phases of these questions in a single note which is expected to be sent as soon as all data is obtained and when the situation with Germany is clarified. The possibility that Germany may suggest a modus vivendi whereby submarine warfare would be abandoned if the Allies' order in council were revoked and the usual laws of contraband put into effect is one of the considerations which has delayed the dispatch of the American note to Great Britain until the German reply to the last communication from the United States is at hand.

Should a new note from Great Britain arrive in the meantime the communication under preparation to be sent to the Allies would necessarily be modified accordingly and officials today were unable to predict just when some development in the situation might be expected.

THREE CRUISERS SENT MEXICAN WEST COAST

American Settlers in Yaqui Valley in Peril

Three Thousand Armed Raiders Said to Have Formed Bands Which Are Carrying Depredations In- and in Mexico.

San Diego, Cal., June 17. — Peril of American settlers in the Yaqui Valley brought orders today for despatch of three cruisers for the Mexican west coast and authorization to Admiral Thomas B. Howard to land an expeditionary force if he thinks best.

The flagship Colorado sailed first, carrying three companies of marines.

Somewhere off the coast of Lower California the radio began snapping back orders from the admiral which started the protected cruiser Chattanooga after the Colorado. The protected cruiser Raleigh, also ordered to sail, began getting up steam, and was expected to get away in the night.

All three were destined for the bay near Guaymas, the railroad terminus and seaport in Sonora. Ninety miles southeast of Guaymas is Esperanza, where an American colony which has successfully resisted attacks of Yaqui Indians, is reported to be again in danger.

YAQUIS AGAIN ACTIVE.

Armed Bands of Indians Making Their Way From Mountains.

On Board U. S. S. Colorado, off Ensenada, Lower California, by radio to San Diego, Cal., June 17. — Reports of Yaqui Indian activities received from Guaymas today stated that 3,000 armed raiders had formed themselves into bands and were carrying their depredations inland from the mountains.

Part of the Yaquis, according to the report, have left the Yaqui Valley with their loot. This action was followed by the retirement of the greater part of Governor Maytorena's troops.

INVESTIGATION OF LUSITANIA'S LOSS IS NOW CONCLUDED

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saloon passenger. He said he had remarked several times to other passengers on the absence of life belts.

"That you did not see them I well believe, but that they were not there I cannot believe," commented Baron Mersey.

A woman witness also told the court she was unable to find lifebelts.

Another passenger said he helped launch a lifeboat full of women and children, unassisted by the crew but the boat leaked so badly it sank in a few minutes. Baron Mersey asked whether the boat was damaged in being lowered. The witness said that if it bumped against the hull as it was going down he was unaware of it.

D. A. Thomas, known as the British "coal king", who was on the Lusitania testified that some members of the crew did not obey the captain's orders to attend first to the rescue of women and children, but attempted to save themselves.

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SCOTCH COLLIE PUP — HAVE YOU one you wish to dispose of? If so, communicate with Mr. T. E. Crane, Oceanic Hotel, today or tomorrow. 'Phone 7535. je18-1t*

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BEGINNING THIS DATE, MISS ANNIE Banks wishes to announce that all ticket sellers for her in the Bijou Contest will wear red ribbons bearing her name. All patronage will be appreciated. je18-1t*

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